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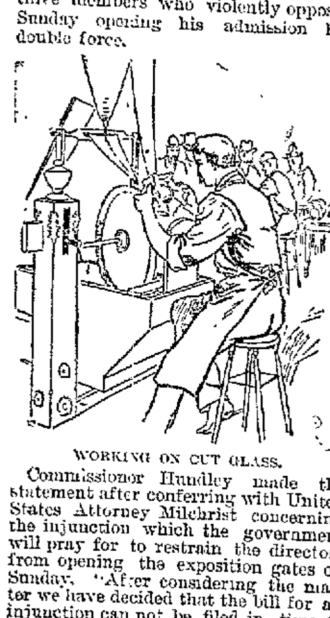
IT WILL BE OPEN.

The World's Fair Can Be Seen on Sunday.

NO WAY TO PREVENT IT

The United States District Attorney Will Not Have Time to Get Out an Injunction—The Question of Awards Assuming Serious Proportions—Other News Gathered at the Great Columbian Exposition.

CHICAGO, May 27.—The world's fair will be open Sunday. At least that is what Commissioner Hundley of the judiciary committee of the national commission said, and as he is one of the three members who violently opposed Sunday opening his admission has double force.



WORKING ON CUT GLASS.

Commissioner Hundley made the statement after conferring with United States Attorney Milchrist concerning the injunction which the government will pray for to restrain the directors from opening the exposition gates on Sunday. "After considering the matter we have decided that the bill for an injunction can not be filed in time to close the fair next Sunday," said Mr. Hundley. "It is such an extensive affair that no lawyer on earth could prepare the petition within 24 hours. Therefore, as the bill can not be filed, we shall wait until next week. Yes, that means that the gates will be open next Sunday. It will do no harm just for one day.

"After all, when the bill is ready I very much doubt if a court can be found having the proper jurisdiction in the matter. It will be an extraordinary delicate thing to decide. There are so many interests involved—the rights of the state, the park commissioners, the national government's and the local directory's—why it is one of the most complicated questions one could imagine. The police regulations and legislature's right of power in the matter, serve to complicate matters still more."

While not saying so positively the commissioner appeared to believe that the remarkable complexity of the question would eventually result in the matter dragging on until fall, and meanwhile in the absence of the injunction the exposition would be crowded with sightseers Sunday.

Objecting to the Award System.

The question of awards is assuming proportions. American exhibitors are now joining with the foreign commissioners in opposition to the system devised by Mr. Thacher and adopted by the national commission. So general is the the revolt that unless some satisfactory arrangement is made soon there will apparently be few exhibits in Jackson park for the judges to pass upon. Most of them will be withdrawn from examination. The main objection to the Thacher system is that awards which consist of but one kind of medal are to be made by individuals and not by juries.

National Commission Grievances.

The national commission are up in arms against the department of admissions and the gatemen employed by Superintendent Tucker. Before the commission met yesterday there was a pretty exciting scene in the chamber. Members of the august body were relating their grievances and telling their individual experiences with the gatemen, guards and the officials of the department of admissions.

The tales were poured into the ear of Commissioner Massey because of his connection with the council of admission, and after listening to one experience after another he ejaculated: "This is outrageous."

T. C. Kuntz, commissioner from Minneapolis, was denied admission after he had shown the regulation bronze badge and presented his personal card to be dropped in the box. He was compelled to pay 50 cents to reach administration building. He was accompanied by G. F. Cumming, commissioner from Washington, who was also refused admittance at first, but after thinking the matter over the gatekeeper decided to let the commissioner pass in free.

Another victim who paid was General Edwards, alternate commissioner-at-large from Maine. The same objection was raised to his badge, the gateman saying that their latest orders were to require a pass with a "spread eagle" bronze badge. The design of the commissioners' badges includes an eagle, but not of the "spread eagle" order and the gatemen were too ignorant to distinguish between the two.

No More Lunch Baskets.

The concessionaries who have restaurants on the Midway Plaisance are now suffering for the exorbitant prices demanded by the concerns which operated the only eating places in the fair grounds proper at the beginning of the exposition. Every other concession on the Plaisance has a restaurant attached, and the visitors have been in the habit of bringing their lunches into the places and partaking in sight of the concessionaries, even to spreading their refreshments on the restaurant tables.

This was too aggravating to suit the concessionaries, and the latest order given at the gates of the various attractions is not to admit visitors who come with well-filled lunch baskets. If these people want to see the cosmopolitan shows, they must eat before they enter. Even the baskets are an eyesore to the concessionaries, who see a fortune slipping from their grasp.

Two Fires in Indianapolis.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 27.—Craig's candy store was damaged $5,000 by fire, and the Danbury Fair store, two blocks away, suffered a loss of $1,000.

Wall Street Not Surprised.

NEW YORK, May 27.—The Foster Banking company of Fostoria, O., according to the last issue of the Bankers' Almanac, has a capital of only $40,000, a surplus of $2,000 and undivided profits of $9,000.

The New York correspondent of the Foster Banking company is the National Shoe and Leather bank of 271 Broadway.

George F. Baker, president of the First National bank, said to a reporter that he was surprised to hear Foster & Company's failure, although he knew that they had not as much money as they wanted. They had not borrowed very extensively of the First National bank, and the bank would not lose anything by the failure.

At the Chase National bank it was said that no notice had been received of the failure. No astonishment was expressed by the well informed bankers in Wall street over the failure of Foster & Company.

In Bradstreets, Foster & Company are put down as having a capital of from $500,000 to $1,000,000, but their credit is only rated by that agency as second class.

The News at Columbus.

COLUMBUS, O., May 27.—Ex-Governor Foster's residence here for eight years made him almost as well known in Columbus as in Fostoria, and news of his failure is not only a great surprise, but a cause of general sorrow, that is not confined to official circles.

When Mr. Foster declined the appointment as state labor arbitrator, he stated in the letter that his business interests were in such condition that all his time would be demanded by them. The governor then supposed that this was due to his long absence in Washington.

Mr. Foster's only interest in Columbus, as far as known, is stock in The Sontagust, a German paper, whose editor, Leo Hirsch, is the state supervisor of printing. It was through Foster's influence that Hirsch was appointed. Secretary Boyle said that Mr. Foster was in no way involved in Governor McKinley's financial troubles.

Surprised in Washington.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—The news of the assignment of the Charles Foster Banking company at Fostoria was received here with great surprise by the public, but there were some close friends of the ex-secretary of the treasury who had heard rumors for the past week of financial troubles in the private bank at Fostoria.

Comptroller of the Currency Eckels said that nothing was known in his department because the banking company was not a national bank and under his control. He had the condition of the national bank of Fostoria examined, and the report of May 4 showed that it was in a remarkably healthy condition, and its reserve amounted to 35 per cent, when the legal requirement was only 15 per cent.

Forty Firms Involved.

TIFFIN, May 27.—The Foster failure has practically paralyzed everybody and everything in Tiffin, and no other topic is discussed. Various theories are afloat, but the one that obtains here, and to which business men and Mr. Foster's personal friends give credence, is that he was compelled to take the step to rid himself of the barnacles that have been clinging to him.

As is well known, Mr. Foster is financially interested in not less than 40 business houses and manufactories, all of them controlled by his associates. Many of these have been losing money, and his partners, relying upon his leniency, have been involving him more and more. It is believed here that he will pay dollar for dollar of his indebtedness.

A Stupendous Crash.

NEW YORK, May 27.—The Mercantile Financial Trustees' Agency company has suspended payment. The nominal capital of the concern exceeds $20,000,000, and the British deposits in the institution amount to $1,500,000.

MURDERED BY REDSKINS.

Two White Men Reported Killed by Indians.

SPOKANE, Wash., May 27.—A report reached here from the Colville Indian reservation that a party of Indians had attacked the government surveying party there and driven them from the reservation, killing two whites. The Indians are said to be enraged because the government failed to pay them for the lands about to be confiscated.

Engineer Huber part owner of the surveying outfit, started at once for the reservation to verify the report. The surveying part consisted of 20 men in charge of Engineer Maxwell and left Spokane for the reservation about three weeks ago. Captain Carrell, a mining expert, was the first to give the information. Carrell arrived from the reservation last night and reported that half breeds had told the story as above.

Will Boycott It.

MACON, May 27.—The general assembly of the Southern Presbyterian church adopted a resolution to boycott the world's fair if it is opened on Sunday.

SWEPT BY A STORM.

Great Destruction Done in the Missouri and Mississippi Valleys.

ST. LOUIS, May 27.—The Missouri and and Mississippi valleys were visited by one of the most terrific thunder storms that has swept over this section since back in the 70's. The storm extented as far west as Kansas City and as far north as Iowa. The average rainfall reported by the weather bureau is 1.04, and the rain is still falling in torrents. Considerable damage has been caused in the city by cellars being inundated. During the heavy gale the telephone, telegraph and electric wires were badly damaged, and communication is seriously interrupted.

From reports received from points up the river it is expected that the Mississippi river will rise five feet within the next four days. This will make a serious state of affairs along the levees below here and serious apprehension is felt for the safety of people at Helena, Arkansas City and Vicksburg.

Telegrams from Miko, Mo., say that north of that city Henry McCue was fatally injured by a barn being blown down on him.

A house blew down and killed John Wills near Laddonia.

On Young's creek, north of Mexico, Mo., the storm was most severe, but no lives were lost.

The new bank building and several other houses were blown down at Mattensburg.

The storm passed through Crystal City, doing great damage to property. Six houses, one mile south of there on Selma Hills were totally destroyed, the occupants barely escaping with their lives. A portion of the roof of one of the packing rooms at the glassworks was blown off.

Protected Her Property.

ROCHESTER, May 27.—Mrs. Thomas Kervin four months ago secured a permanent injunction against the Rochester Street Railway company, preventing them from crossing her land with the trolley cars. The limit expired, and the woman built a fence across the track, and held up the trains all day from passing.

Delaying Departure.

LONDON, May 27.—A report from Shanghai says the departure of a new Chinese minister to Washington has been deferred, pending the reply of a question asked the United States regarding the Geary act.

Sullivan Fined $100 and Costs.

NEW YORK, May 27.—The Sun's Biddeford (Me.) special says: John L. Sullivan did not appear in court to answer the charge of assaulting Lawyer M. L. Lezotte. The ex-champion was represented by Counsel Thomas Leigh, Jr., who pleaded guilty on behalf of his client, and a fine of $100 and costs was imposed.

Child Bitten By a Mad Dog.

COLUMBUS, Ind., May 27.—The 15-year-old son of Congressman George W. Cooper was bitten by a mad dog at the family home in this city. The boy is suffering intensely. A madstone will be applied.

QUESTION DECIDED.

Briggs to Be Tried by the General Assembly.

IT WILL BEGIN AT ONCE.

The Appeal of the New York Synod Sustained by a Vote of 409 Yeas to 115 Nays—A Night Session Held and Committee Reports Considered—Prospects of a Long Session of the General Assembly.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—The Presbyterian general assembly spent all the morning hour in discussing the question, "Shall the appeal be sustained?" with the understanding that an amendment shall be allowed and be first voted upon to remand the whole case to the synod. Speeches were limited to 10 minutes each. Each side was heard in turn. The judges and lawyers looked only at the technical points, while the ministers argued for the constitutional rights of Dr. Briggs.

At 12:25 the four hours' discussion on the question whether the appeal should be entertained being still in progress the general assembly took a recess until 2:30 p. m.

The first thing done upon the reassembling of the assembly was to determine to hold a night session for the purpose of further proceeding with the consideration of the Briggs case.

The discussion on the Briggs question was then continued until the four hours were up.

Judge Parnell of Baltimore then offered his motion to remand the case to the New York synod. This was defeated by a viva voce vote and again by a rising vote. The question then recurring on the resolution of the judicial committee, that the appeal be entertained, the ayes and nays were demanded and the roll call began.

It was taken amid an almost painful silence, and while it was being called Moderator Craig yielded the chair to ex-Moderator William C. Roberts, D.D., and himself voted aye.

When the clerk had finished the call of the synod of New York Professor Briggs seemed relieved, and rose from his half-leaning position over Professor Brown to the upright pose he had maintained throughout the trying ordeal.

The result on the motion to entertain the appeal was announced by Dr. Craig as follows. Yeas, 409; nays, 115.

On motion of Dr. Young the judicial committee was instructed to prepare a program for procedure in the trial of the appeal and the assembly decided to proceed with the trial at once.

At 5 p. m. the assembly adjourned until 8 o'clock for the consideration of administrative business.

The assembly was in session until 10 o'clock considering reports of committees on the boards of church erection, publication and Sunday school work. The reports of both committees were adopted. The present members of the board of publication and Sunday school work were re-elected.

The brethren are beginning to talk of a month or more's stay in Washington. The Briggs trial, the matter of revision, the amendment of the book of discipline, and other important matters, are enough to occupy the assembly for more than a month. It does not seem possible to finish the Briggs case sooner than the first of week after next.

By the rules of the book of discipline no one can take part and vote in the trial who is not present at each session. This involves calling the roll at the beginning and close of the session. This itself will consume at least one hour each session, as there are 580 members who must be called and answer to their names twice. Then, on the final verdict, each one has the right to express his opinion. This itself may consume a day or two. It is beginning to be apparent that the assembly is too unwieldy a body to deal with a case like this.

There are many who will be compelled to go home before the conclusion of the trial, so that the number who will pass upon the case will be much less than the number now present.

APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT.

A Sizable Batch of Officeseekers Made Happy.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—The president has made the following appointments:

To be attorneys of the United States: Emmet O'Neal of Alabama, for the northern district of Alabama; Joseph N. Miller of Alabama, for the southern district of Alabama; Henry D. Clayton of Alabama, for the middle district of Alabama; A. J. Montague of Virginia, for the western district of Virginia.

To be marshals of the United States: J. C. Musgrove of Alabama for the northern district of Alabama, E. K. Morrissette of Alabama for the southern district of Alabama, William H. Tisdale of Alabama for the middle district of Alabama, Samuel C. Dunlap of Georgia for the northern district of Georgia, E. D. Nix of Oklahoma for the territory of Oklahoma.

Frank Dale of Oklahoma, associate justice of the supreme court of the of territory of Oklahoma.

The following appointments were made in the treasury department:

John W. Bennett of North Dakota, chief of division, second auditor's office.

Theodore Hazen, assistant keeper, lighthouse, Poverty island, Mich.

Unsuccessful Attempt to Rob a Train.

ST. LOUIS, May 27.—Two men made an unsuccessful attempt to rob the expressear on the southbound Mobile and Ohio railway train 15 miles south of here. The men climbed on the engine near Forest Lawn, Ills., and, with cocked revolvers, ordered the engineer not to stop at that station. One of the robbers then went to the expresscar and called to the messenger to open the door. The messenger refused, and in the meantime the conductor stopped the train by applying the airbrakes from the interior of the coach. The robbers then jumped from the train and escaped.

TRADE IMPROVING.

So Says R. G. Dun & Company's Weekly Review.

NEW YORK, May 27.—R. G. Dun & Company's weekly review of trade says: In two ways there has been quite a general improvement during the past week. Better weather throughout most of the country has stimulated retail trade, and the large distribution of goods has made trade more active.

Monetary anxieties have curiously abated. Yet the actual conditions do not seem to have have changed materially. Gold is still going out, and $2,000,000 more are to be shipped today. The treasury reserve is again reduced below the $100,000,000 limit. The large demand for rediscounts and advances by western and southern banks, though considerably abated, has been greater than eastern banks could wholly meet. There is no definite improvement in financial affairs abroad, and the prospect of continued outgo of gold for some time to come has not altered.

Speculative markets show comparatively little activity. Stocks have fallen off to some extent from the rapid recovery of last week, the average being about $1 per share lower than a week ago. Wheat and corn are both at just about the same price as a week ago, although western receipts of wheat in four days have been 1,902,108 bushels, and Atlantic exports 1,036,597 bushels, and corn receipts have been very large with insignificant exports. Mess pork is 25 cents higher, but other hog products a shade lower, and while coffee advanced half a cent, oil declines a cent. A natural decline is seen in dairy products and potatoes. Cotton is also an eighth lower, although the receipts have been smaller and the exports larger than for the same week last year, but the enormous stocks in sight are not diminishing more than is usual at this season.

Boston reports improvement with better weather, active retail and better jobbing trade in dry goods, though collections are short, and steady market for staple cottons, the decline having been checked, and woolens rather quiet though more demand from clothiers is seen, their trade having improved.

The outlook for pig iron is better at Pittsburg, and some finished products are in better demand but prices very low.

At Cincinnati stringency lessens; retail trade improves with the weather.

At Cleveland rolled products are in large demand, but prices are weak, collections poor and money close.

Indianapolis reports money tight.

At Detroit prospects are less bright than last year, but collections have somewhat improved.

Chicago reports improvement with better weather, which favors the farmers, though collections are still slow and bank accommodations sparing.

At Milwaukee manufacturers are busy and the jobbing trade greater than a year ago, but money is close.

At Minneapolis the financial flurry has abated, jobbing trade and collections are fair, with a good lumber trade but small sales of flour.

St Paul reports seeding mostly completed, fair jobbing trade but slow collections.

St Louis notes steady and satisfactory jobbing and fair collections. Bankers are extremely conservative and much money has gone out to other western cities.

At St. Joseph the grocery trade is good and dry goods in fair demand; at Omaha the dry goods, groceries and hardward trade are good, but at Denver bad weather makes trade quiet.

Business at Nashville is improving and also at Savannah, but at other points at the south business is quiet and at nearly all, collections are slow and money somewhat close. Mobile reports large shipment of early vegetables, and New Orleans a bright outlook in building trades, though the breaking of levees will seriously affect northern Louisiana.

Imports are still large, for three weeks in May exceeding last year's by nearly $6,000,000, but exports have somewhat increased and for three weeks show a slight gain. Money on call is cheap and abundant, but loans on time for commercial needs are yet made with some difficulty and sparingly.

The failures for the last seven days number for the United States 259, Canada 15, total 273, as compared with 261 last week, 250 the week previous and 195 for the corresponding week of last year.

WHO KILLED THE KOESTERS?

Anna Wagner Laughs Defiantly Before the Police Judge.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 27.—In the coop adjoining the police court, waiting for her name to be reached on the list of offenders before the police judge, was Anna Wagner, sullen, taciturn and defiant, an unprepossessing woman, and melancholy looking.

She denied all responsibility for the five deaths in the Koester family, for which crime she is under arrest. She speaks of the charge against her with a certain contempt and laughs sarcastically when Koester, whose love she is alleged to try to win, is mentioned. She stated again that the poison she had purchased was to kill mice. The woman speaks in broken English and does not seem to realize the serious aspect of the case.

The calamities of the Koesters family continue. Five of them are dead. Some of them or all of them murdered, and today Alphouse the 1-year-old son, lies at death's door with a fractured skull, caused by being thrown from his pony, shortly after the Wagner woman had been arrested. Only one child, a baby now remains and Charles Koester.

Gettysburg Battle Lines.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—Secretary Lamont has appointed a commission to execute the sundry civil bill of the last congress, directing that he preserve and mark the lines of battle of Gettysburg. He has enjoined upon the commission the necessity of promptness in the matter. The following gentlemen compose the board: Colonel John P. Nicholson of Philadelphia, Mr. John B. Bacheldor of Boston and General W. H. Forney of Alabama.

Base Ball.

At Pittsburg—Pittsburg, 11; Cincinnati, 4.

At Baltimore—Baltimore, 6; Brooklyn, 1.

At New York—New York, 8; Philadelphia, 11.

At Boston—Boston, 13, Washington, 12.

At Cleveland—Cleveland-St Louis game postponed on account of rain.

At Louisville—Louisville-Chicago game postponed on account of rain.

Indications.

Showers, variable winds.

THE MARKETS.

Review of the Grain and Cattle Markets For May 26.

Cincinnati.

WHEAT—62@68c.
CORN—34@50c.
WOOL—Unwashed fine merino, 15@16c; ½blood clothing, 19@20c; braid, 15@16c; medium combing, 20@21c; washed fine merino X and XX, 25@26c; medium combing, 27@28c.
CATTLE—Selected butchers, $4 50@5 00; fair to good, $3 50@4 10; common, $2 50@3 25.
HOGS—Select heavy and prime butchers, $7 20@7 25, fair to good packing, $7 00@7 20, common to rough, $5 35@6 95.
SHEEP—$2 75@5 25.
SPRING LAMBS—$5 00@7 50.

Pittsburg.

CATTLE—Prime, $5 60@5 80; good, $5 00@5 25; good butchers', $4 50@4 75; rough fat, $4 00@4 50; fair light steers, $3 10@3 60; light stockers, $3 10@3 60; good fat cows and heifers, $3 25@4 00; bulls and stags, $3 00@3 25; fresh cows and springers, $15 00@40 00; bologna cows, $10 00@15 00.
HOGS—Philadelphias, $7 55@7 60, good mixed, $7 50@7 55, Yorkers, $7 20@7 40, pigs, $6 75@7 15; roughs $5 50@6 50.
SHEEP—Extra, $5 30@5 40; good, $4 80@5 10; fair, $3 80@4 40 common, $2 00@3 00.
LAMBS—$3 50@6 00.

Chicago.

HOGS—Heavy, $7 15@7 25, packers, $7 00@7 20; common to rough, $6 65@7 00; light, $6 75@7 20.
CATTLE—Prime steers, $5 50@5 60; others, $4 60@5 75; mixed, $2 50@4 50.
SHEEP—$2 50@4 85.
LAMBS—$5 25@6 00.

New York.

WHEAT—June, 76¼@76⅝c.
CORN—51@52½c.
OATS—Western, 39@47c.
CATTLE—$2 75@6 15.
SHEEP—$4 25@5 50.
SPRING LAMBS—$7 50@9 00.

Toledo.

WHEAT—70⅞c.
CORN—42½c.
OATS—32c.
CLOVERSEED—$7 50.

Cleveland.

PETROLEUM—S. W. 110 deg., 6⅝c; 74 deg. gasoline, 6½c; 86 deg. gasoline, 10c; 63 deg. naphtha, 6½c.

A MATTER OF TASTE.

NO ACCOUNTING FOR SENSIBILITY, JUDGMENT OR CUSTOM.

New York's Cosmopolitan Character—A First Class Summer Garden For Sale. Most Remarkable Amusement Building In the World.

[Special Correspondence.]

NEW YORK, May 25.—Who can account for that union of sensibility, judgment and custom which we call taste?

An individual occupied a seat in Central park the other day. His body was swathed in a thick blanket or cloak that reached from his ears to his ankles. His thick cap with a tassel on top was pulled down to his eyes. His neck and face were bound with handkerchiefs of the usual oriental colors. He looked as if he had the toothache, the cholera morbus, the rheumatism and the doldrums. He did not move his body nor turn his head once in 10 minutes. I asked a park policeman if this strange bundle of human flesh and clothing was ill.

"Sick, is it? No," was the reply. "He is one of those haythen Turks on his way to the Chicago fair."

The man must have been as uncomfortable and useless in this attire as a Fifth avenue belle in her ball dress would be in the kitchen. But there is no accounting for taste.

I wandered into a concert garden on Eighth avenue the other evening. The air was foul and thick with tobacco smoke. It was crowded with young men sitting around the beer tables. At one end of the hall a young, slender and unattractive but brazen girl was trying to sing. She made a pitiable spectacle. There was nothing on the tables but beer—beer that had been dosed with injurious chemicals to make it palatable and give it the appearance of age. It was pernicious stuff to drink and would ruin the strongest stomach if indulged in freely. Yet old and young were fairly pouring it down and choosing to spend their evenings that way, getting up the next morning with a headache rather than out in the fresh air of the street. But there is no accounting for taste.

I have in mind the average elevated railway guard. Probably he is ambitious to take charge of a train some time or to get a position elsewhere on recommendation of his present employers that will pay him better. But instead of calling out the stations clearly and doing his simple work as well as it can be done he shouts so carelessly and in such a guttural or low tone that nobody can understand him, and he growls to the passengers when they get on or off the car as if they were cattle. But there is no accounting for taste.

A great church on Fifth avenue was thronged. The sunlight stole through the stained glass windows and brought out the high altar and smaller altars in mellow relief. Beethoven's "Mass in C" was sung. The organ playing was grand, the sermon eloquent, and the services were conducted with great pomp and ceremony. Looking around, everybody seemed greatly impressed. I came out before the services were ended, took an elevated train to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street and went into the grave just below and to the west of Washington bridge. So far as the immediate surroundings were concerned, I might as well have been a thousand miles from the city. Hepatica and violets were just springing out of the cold, dead clod—a miracle as wonderful as the supernatural legends of old. The robins were just beginning vespers. The zephyrs passing through the trees made the low organ notes. There was a sermon in the little running brook by my side. Before I knew it I was saying, "These are thy works, O Parent of Good." Somehow I felt more devout there than in church. But there is no accounting for taste.

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN.

Instances of the unaccountability of taste might thus be multiplied indefinitely. They are more apparent in New York than anywhere else, because this is the most cosmopolitan city on the globe. There is society to suit all tastes, religions to suit all tastes, amusements to suit all tastes and a manner of living to conform to every pocket. Buyers can purchase anything, and sellers can dispose of anything.

For example, if any of your readers desire a first class summer roof garden, with all the appurtenances, such as a first class theater, several halls and a restaurant, now is a good time to buy. The Madison Square Garden is for sale. It cost $4,000,000, and it looks as if it were worth it. But as its affairs are somewhat muddled and its directors are at loggerheads it can be bought at a bargain just now. In some respects there is not a handsomer building in the world, and there is none more exquisitely proportioned. It is in the renaissance style of architecture and is built of pressed brick, terra cotta and polished granite. A grand colonnade extends upon three of its sides. It has an amphitheater capable of holding 15,000 people—the largest hall in the world—a beautiful theater, a ballroom that has space for 1,500 persons.

In addition to this there is a roof garden large enough for 3,000 visitors, quite a good sized restaurant and several rooms of minor importance. The tower is 300 feet high, being 14 higher than Trinity church spire and 9 feet lower than that of The World building. But it is an expensive luxury to own. The first year of its existence it lost $100,000.

And this Madison Square Garden is by far the most cosmopolitan temple of amusement in the world. It takes in the balls of the Four Hundred, circuses, dinners, horse shows, dog shows, flower shows, fisticuff scraps, grand opera, comic opera, operetta, vaudeville, ballet, minstrel, orchestra and the political rally.

After an era of enmity ranging from a studied disregard to cavalierish vilification the local daily press seems to be fulfilling Isaiah's prophecy, "The wolf shall also dwell with the lamb, and the leopard shall lie down with the kid." Not long ago The Herald appeared with a 2 page article extolling the virtues of its now esteemed local contemporaries. It was accompanied by portraits of their editorial chiefs, and lo! The Herald's chief competitor—The World—led all the rest. Nothing now remains but to reconcile Mr. Dana and Larry Godkin. Then let the love feast be announced! JEROME WARD.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Short Items From Various Parts of the Country.

There are two cases of smallpox at Alexandria, Ind.

Robert Alexander and Louis and Howard Pugh, negro boys, were hanged at Tuskegee, Ala., for criminal assault. Each declared a readiness to die, saying they were going straight to heaven.

John Dunfield and wife of Mount Eber, Ky, were found dead in bed. They had taken morphine in considerable quantities.

Frank Hickey, the alleged murderer of John M. Clayton, at Little Rock, Ark., has been released on $1,000 bail. The evidence against him is considered very slight and it is not expected he will be convicted.

The total number of fourth class postmasters appointed Friday was 83, of whom 57 were to fill vacancies caused by resignations and death.

Edward Newel, agent of the Domestic Machine company, at Buffalo, has made a general assignment, with liabilities between $40,000 and $50,000 and assets about the same.

Isaac Pendergraft, 35, living in Upper Kinniconick, Ky., died Friday from the effects of a cockle bur he accidentally sucked down his windpipe last fall.

William S. Bridendolph, a prominent and wealthy young lawyer of Cumberland, Md., was thrown from his horse directly under the wheels of a heavily-laden van, which passed over his abdomen, killing him almost instantly.

A COURT OF NATIONS.

A HIGH COURT OF LAST RESORT TO DETERMINE DISPUTES.

How International Differences Might Be Adjusted if the Rulers Did Not Prefer Grim and Destructive War to Peace. Arbitration In Big Affairs.

There is a great deal of carelessness in certain popular demands for referring questions between nations to arbitration. We all know what arbitration is in business. It is a very convenient way of adjusting certain questions which arise between two friends, each of whom wants to do what is right, but who take different points of view of the same subject. Each of them "chooses a man," as the old New England phrase has it. These two "men" choose a third man. All parties meet together and talk over the matter, and the court thus made decides.

But for practical purposes we do not compel every person who has a question arising with another person to create a court which is to try that question. If a policeman catches a pickpocket in the street, he does not appoint one person to try the pickpocket and ask the pickpocket to appoint another, while these two shall appoint a third. If Mr. Cheeryble in London is not satisfied with the account which Mr. Goodchild in Kansas City sends him, if Mr. Goodchild cannot make Mr. Cheeryble understand that account, they do not appoint a court which shall determine how much is due and how much is not due. There is a court existing to which that question can be referred and there are processes perfectly understood by which that court can decide it.

This is a fair enough illustration of the necessity which now exists that the great nations of the world shall have a permanent tribunal, before which shall be brought the important questions which must arise in the affairs of nations with each other. It is to be a permanent tribunal. There is not to be one tribunal about seals and another tribunal about boundaries and another about extradition. There is to be a tribunal which shall gradually gain the confidence of the whole world, and which shall decide these questions which have been left hitherto to a vague public opinion and to what is called the arbitration of war. Clearly we are approaching nearer and nearer the creation of such a tribunal.

The greatest success was achieved when in 1789 13 different nations, here on the coast of the Atlantic, united together and established the supreme court of the United States. The thing has worked so perfectly and simply ever since that we have many readers to whom it has never occurred that there were might have been wars between Massachusetts and New York, or war between Missouri and Iowa, as bitter and severe as half the wars of the middle ages in Europe were. There might have been such wars if it had not been that the supreme court of the United States has determined at least a hundred questions arising between different proud and independent states and has so determined them that each of the states has acquiesced in the decision. Nay, it has so determined them that half the citizens of those states did not know that any such questions existed. Between my own state of Massachusetts and the state of Rhode Island there was a question about boundaries some 40 or 50 years ago which was more important than many of the questions which have thrown European states into war with each other. The supreme court of the United States determined the question, and I do not believe that half the people now living in Massachusetts who were living then ever knew that there was any such question at issue.

The six great powers of the world are the powers who should agree on such a high court of judicature, to exist as a permanent tribunal. It would be easy to arrange some system by which its judges should be appointed. Perhaps a good system would be such as is indicated in the custom which has been spoken of above. Each of the six nations might name one of these judges, and the six judges might nominate six other judges, to be approved by a majority of the high powers forming the court.

At first the new court would have nothing to do. Everybody would be shy of it, but it would exist. It would consist of men of the very highest rank who had distinguished themselves before the world by their equity and wisdom.

At first the court would meet simply for its own organization and to await the reference to it of questions arising between great nations. In this period of leisure these jurists might well be engaged in digesting the international law of the world as it exists now and publishing from time to time their digest. They might determine certain principles on which they would rely in the judgments which should eventually be brought before them. Before long, however, some real question would be submitted to them. There would arise a question whether the San Carlos river was a dirty brook running from the northwest to the southeast, or another dirty brook running from the southwest to the northeast. As things stand now, two armies have to be called out to fight about the proper definition of some old treaty, and a thousand good fellows have to be killed before we can determine which of two dirty brooks is the San Carlos.—Edward Everett Hale in New York Recorder.

States Meant.

A monthly statement, Mo.; a weakly statement, Ill.; a personal statement, Me.; a graphic statement, Del.; a written statement, Penn.; a decimal statement, Tenn.; an interesting statement, Miss.; a historical statement, Ark.; a confident statement, Kan.; a rich statement, Ore.; a lump statement, Mass.; a spirited statement, R. I.; a medical statement, Md.; a French statement, Va.; a French statement, Ala.; an emphatic statement, O.; an emphatic statement, La.; a close statement, N. Y.; a neutral statement, I. T.; a neat statement, Wash.; a doubtful statement, Wy.—Truth.

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A WHITE HOUSE GUIDE.

Entertaining Conversation of an Executive Employee of a Few Months Ago.

Not to be too personal, this account of White House visiting is taken from an experience in the past. It is on a day when the president is in the big east room, shaking hands with any Tom, Dick or Augustus who wishes to inflict himself on the head of the nation. There are numerous familiarly polite men lounging in the vestibule of the mansion. Their dress consists of indifferent business suits, very ready made in appearance, black, brown, blue and gray, ill fitting and often shabby. These are the servants of the place, whose duties are to show the guests through the public rooms and at times through the private ones. Their appellation in this house of the people is "guide." They are particularly the persons from whom the visitor to Washington gets the tone of the White House. If any one claims that these are gentlemen in office and not serving men, let him try them with a fee. It is not exacted, is forbidden, but—try it!

Through with the president, a group of people are invited by a guide to go into the other rooms.

"These rooms has all been newly decorated," he says, "and after designs by Miss' Harrison, and 'tain't necessary for me to say that she's a artist." A sweep of his hand takes in floor, wall, ceiling and furniture.

"This," he goes on, "is the famous blue room, where the president receives with his lady beside him. You have all heard of going behind the line. Well, the president stands here with his lady on his right and the ladies of the cabinet. That makes the line. After they shake hands the elight go behind the line where all the dignataries is.

"That's right, ma'am. Sit right down." This to a woman who has rested against the arm of a chair. "All sit down and make yourself comfortable. People seem to think this house belongs to Miss' Harrison, but it don't. It belongs to all of you. Miss Harrison wants everybody to feel at home. Now, in this room Miss' Cleveland was married. She stood right there where that lady's feet is."

The modest appearing little woman on whose feet all eyes were centered looked inclined to put them in her pocket, but the guide went on remorselessly. "Where that lady's feet is placed."

"This clock," said the guide later, pausing before an elaborate mantel clock, "and them tido ornaments was presented to George Washington, our first president, by Lafayette and presented by him to the White House. And it has been a going ever since. Them lights are electric and just put in. You turn them on and off this way," illustrating. "Seeing as you look interested, sir, you can turn them on once if you like."

The man thus given this kind permission was granted to bear a name synonymous with electricity, but the famous electrician as courteous as the guide, gravely manipulated the button.

Leaving after a quarter of an hour more of this talk, and a visit to the conservatories, and a peep at the private dining room, Emma expressed herself in this fashion:

"All such men as for such work in the White House should pass a civil service examination before being accepted. Secondly, they should be obliged to wear a distinctive dress. Call it a uniform if the word livery is objectionable. But these men should look as neat and trig as postmen, motormen and car conductors. Thirdly, they must be as willing and obliging as they are at present. I would like to leave our president's house once without feeling half amused and half vexed and altogether ashamed, as I am today."—Newport News.

Queer Japanese Beliefs.

The Japanese believe in more mythical creatures than any other people on the globe, civilized or savage. Among these are mythical animals without any remarkable peculiarities of conformation, but gifted with supernatural attributes, such as the tiger which is said to turn as white as a polar bear on the date of his one thousandth birthday. They also believe in a species of fox which if it lives to be 50 years old without having been chased by a dog transforms itself into a beautiful woman. This same fox, if he can manage to live for a century, gains additional powers, such as becoming a wonderful wizard, etc. When he lives to be 1,000 years old, he becomes a "celestial fox," with nine golden tails, and has the power of going to heaven and returning whenever he chooses.

The Japanese also believe in a multitude of animals distinguished by their monstrous size or by the multiplication of their members. Among these are serpents 500 feet long and large enough to swallow an elephant; foxes with eight legs; monkeys with four ears and seven tails; fishes with 10 heads attached to one body, the flesh of this last monster being a sure cure for boils, bites of poisonous serpents, hydrophobia, etc.—Philadelphia Press.

Prices of a Stock During a Wall Street Panic

Some idea of the character of Friday morning's speculation may be gleaned from this incident: A well known broker had an order to sell 500 shares of General Electric. When the order was sent to him, the price had already fallen from 80 to 70. By the time he reached the trading post the stock had sold at 58, and he offered his stock at that price without eliciting any higher bid than 53. Unwilling to sell at such a sacrifice he determined to wait a little and turned to execute an order in another stock in an adjacent "crowd." Returning almost directly to the General Electric post, he heard somebody bidding "nine for a hundred." He disposed of his 500 shares at "nine" and was astonished to learn that he was selling them at 69 instead, as he supposed, at 59, and the stock kept on jumping until it crossed 80.—New York Herald.

Tobacco Benefited Him.

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"Everything comes to him who waits," muttered the waiter, looking pensively at the departing guest, "except tips."—*Chicago Tribune.*

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SATURDAY EVENING, MAY 27, '93

Ex-Secretary Foster's misfortune indicates that it isn't always a sign that a man has plenty when he indorses some other fellows' note.

The National Butchers' Association is organizing to fight the great meat monopolists. Further butchery will be awaited with interest.

Wild weather out West is still the elemental rule; but the White City at Chicago has been spared as yet. It is to be hoped that no stray cyclone will take Jackson Park for its field of operations.

Tuesday will be another memorable day in the history of this city. Distance in time does not reduce the patriotic sentiment of the people toward the defenders of the Union who have gone to the other world.

More than one hundred officers, together with the soldiers and marines from the foreign war ships in New York harbor, will take part in the Memorial day observances in that city. It will be a new feature in Grand Army's tribute to the memory of the Union soldiers, and it should prove an impressive experience for the foreign participants.

The suggestion we made last week that the Senatorial candidates in this county should get together and decide upon some plan by which the name of only one of their number will be presented to the Senatorial Convention, is meeting with popular favor. Unless that is done, Allen county will go hence from the convention without honor or preferment. If no other plan will avert this, the candidates should leave it to a caucus of the delegates, the one receiving the highest number of votes to stand as the county's candidate.

Secretary Greeham's letter to Hon. A. Loudon Snowden, United States Minister to Madrid, accepting that gentleman's resignation, is especially valuable for the tribute which it justly pays to the retiring diplomat's zeal and fidelity—a tribute in which the President joins, and which, moreover, is conveyed in the most cordial terms. State Department letters are so apt to be purely formal in style that any departure from the order usually observed in such perfunctory epistles is as notable as it must prove to be flattering to the recipient.

The usual number of fellows are about who knew that Foster had been a bankrupt for years, and most of necessity fail." Nevertheless his assignment was one of the sensations of the year. After a life time of honor, and reputed success, the crash came. No one feels it more deeply than Foster himself. His statement, and the inexpressibly sad tinge there is to it, caused many who knew him by reputation, to have a sympathetic heartache for him, and the universal hope of all is that he will at an early day recover from the black clouds that now encompass him. The country cannot afford to have public spirited men crushed.

To morrow will bring the question of the opening of the World's Fair on Sunday to a focus. The probabilities are that the opening will be met with an injunction instituted by the United States authorities. This will put the matter into the courts where it will get immediate attention. Until that time the restless spirits of Chicago should be curbed. Any tendency toward breaking down the gates and forcing an entrance will only serve to defeat the object aimed at. The majority of the people think the fair should be opened seven days in the week, and it will if moderation and good sense prevail. But Haymarket methods will not accomplish it.

The patent on the Bell telephone expired on March 7 last; the Parliner patent, which is still effective to check competition, will expire on January 30 next. As yet there has been afforded no reasonable prospect of the general use of this means of communication, which, by reason of the cheapness of the necessary plant, might reasonably be expected to take the place of the telegraph and compete actively in thickly populated sections with the post office itself. The slight expense of material is shown by the statement of the inventors of a new telephone exhibited in New York recently that the materials for a complete line five miles in length would cost but $62.40.

STILL GOING BACK.

When an individual, company, corporation, town or city gets to retrograding it is difficult to stop the backward movement. Several times within the last month it has been our painful duty to record of Findlay that she had this affliction, and now comes this additional proof taken from the Daily Courier in which even "time" is to be turned backward:

"At noon Monday the clock in the court house tower will be set ahead twenty five minutes corresponding once more to sun time. The County Commissioners have made this order in deference to the request of hundreds of people who find that the standard time adopted by the recent obnoxious legislature is extremely bothersome and altogether inconvenient. The hotels and railroads are about the only ones who are benefitted by the standard time. The schools, churches, factories and every class of people have been inconvenienced, and will be glad to go back to the good old time instituted by old Sol himself in the days when the morning stars sang together. The change of the clock will not affect the legal time, as the courts will have to observe the standard time until the next legislature repeals it. A number of other counties will do as Hancock proposes doing."

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Bringing Bills In Parliament.

The time honored process of bringing in bills is thus described by the author of "A Diary of the Salisbury Parliament:"

The speaker, holding in his hand a long list of notices given the day before, calls the names of the members in succession. "Mr. Murphy!" calls the speaker. Mr. Murphy raises his hat, whereupon the speaker says, "The question is that leave be given to bring in a bill to"—and he reads a description of the bill of which Mr. Murphy has given notice.

"Who is prepared to bring in this bill?" asks the speaker. Then Mr. Murphy rises and reads out the names of members who indorse his bill, and the speaker goes on to the next on the list.

As the speaker approaches the end of the list members who are to bring in bills struggle for places at the bar of the house. The speaker calls on the member whose name heads the list. He makes his way through the throng at the bar and advances toward the clerk's table, holding a piece of folded foolscap in his hand.

This is understood to be the bill he is bringing in, but there is nothing within but a blank sheet, elaborately indorsed on the outside with the title. The text of the measure will be deposited in the bill office at some future convenient date.

The clerk, carefully concealing his knowledge of the fiction, respectfully takes charge of "the bill," recites its title—which is the first reading of the bill—and then asks, "Second reading?"

"Eighth of May," says the member. "Bill read second time 8th of May," says the clerk. "Read second time 8th of May," echoes the speaker, and the member disappears behind the speaker's chair, and so on through the hundred.

Japan's First Lady Lawyer.

An interesting traveler has lately arrived in England in the person of Mme. Tel Sono, who enjoys the unique position of being the first and only lady lawyer in Japan. While engaged in her profession she had many opportunities of discovering the downtrodden condition of her country women and conceived the idea of founding a Christian training school for women in her native town of Tokio. She then gave up her work in Tokio and visited America with a view of learning the customs of a country whose women were on an equality with men.

Mme. Tel Sono spent 12 years in America, where her adventures were many and varied. Shortly after her arrival the bank in which her money was placed failed, and in order to support herself and also to collect funds for her proposed school she was in turn a domestic servant, a scholar in an English school, a dressmaker's apprentice and finally the organizer of a benevolent society for helping her fellow countrywomen living in San Francisco. Mme. Tel Sono collected £600 while in America and has come to England with the same idea in view—giving lectures and speaking at different halls in her quaint broken English.

She has also written a book entitled "Tel Sono, the Japanese Reformer," in which she gives a most interesting account of her life. This she sells for the benefit of the funds of her school. The class she aims to reach is the highest in Japan, that which the missionaries cannot reach, and which Mme. Tel Sono hopes to help and teach, belonging as she does to it herself. Her father was a doctor and philosopher, and her husband, whom she married at the age of 19, an officer of the king's treasure. She has one daughter, whom, however, she has not taken with her on her travels.—Hearth and Home.

The Wearing of Colored Skirts.

"It's the queerest thing about white petticoats," said a lady to me, who keeps up with, not to say a little in advance of, the times.

"A year ago, six months even, there was nothing so tricky as a white skirt, unless it was another with more starch in it.

"This spring you don't feel quite tidy without white lingerie, and the more starch the merrier.

"Did you ever know what men think about colored skirts?" she went on. "One I know awfully well said to me only yesterday: 'I wish you would tell me what you girls wear black silk skirts for. They are in wretched taste.'

"What I wanted to reply was that no woman would be seen wearing a black skirt this summer except she who is saving on her laundry bills. But it was worse to say that than to let him think we liked the colored ones, so I simpered and said nothing."—New York Press.

To "Do" Britain on Cycles.

For the summer outing two of New England's newspaper women have planned a novel tour. The ladies are Miss Carrie L. Hodsdon of the Lawrence Eagle and, Miss Edith M. Kenniston of the Concord (N. H.) Monitor, and it is their intention to "do" Great Britain on bicycles. They expect their trip to last five months. The young women were classmates at college.

AN EMPEROR'S WILL.

THE KAISER AND HIS ATTEMPT TO ADD TO THE GERMAN ARMY.

The Dark Possibilities In Case of the Emperor's Defeat—The Split In the Radical Party—A New Reichstag June 15—A Struggle Probable.

[Special Correspondence.]

BERLIN, May 15.—Emperor William of Germany, having failed to pass through the reichstag the bill to add many thousands of troops per year to his army, has appealed to the people, and on June 15 they will choose a new reichstag. The canvass just begun will be the most exciting that Germany has ever known, and the emperor has already announced that if the new reichstag rejects his bill he will yet do all in his power to have it enacted into law.

CORRIDOR IN THE REICHSTAG.

By the constitution of the German empire adopted in 1871 no bill can become a law until it has passed both houses of the imperial parliament and received the assent of the emperor. The parliament is made up of the bundesrath, representing the states, and the reichstag, representing the people of the German empire. The bundesrath has 58 members chosen by the governments of the states. The reichstag has 397 members chosen by the people. At the last general election in the empire, which occurred in 1890, there were 10,145,877 electors registered, but of these only 7,261,650 voted. The number of her sons eligible to vote now probably exceeds 11,000,000, and it is likely that the number of votes cast will be the largest ever known at any German election. Prussia, which has about 30,000,000 of Germany's 51,000,000 inhabitants, has 236 members of the reichstag. No other state has quite 50 members, and most of the states have less than 15. Bavaria, which is next in importance to Prussia and probably as strongly opposed as any other state to the proposed increase of the army, has 48 votes in the reichstag.

Emperor William asks the proposed increase of the army because the armies of France and Russia are larger than his. France puts more conscripts into her army every year than Germany adds to hers and could muster in case of war under the present arrangement 340,000 more men than Germany could put into the field. Germany now spends about $300,000,000 per year on imperial affairs, and of this more than $100,000,000 is spent upon the army, while a little over $10,000,000 per year is spent upon the navy. Were the increased grants made, the cost of army and navy would exceed $134,000,000 per year.

The active list of the German army on the present peace footing includes a little over 20,500 officers and somewhat more than 490,000 men of the rank and file. Every able-bodied German above the age of 17 is liable to military service. The term is seven years—three in active service and four in the reserve army. At present no man who has not completed his twentieth year is taken into the active service save as a volunteer, and conscripts serve until the beginning of their twenty-eighth year. A few highly proficient soldiers are transferred to the reserves after two years' active service, but they are liable to be drawn upon again for active service. About 400,000 young men come of age in Germany every year. Of these fully 400,000 are physically and mentally qualified for service in the army. About 180,000 per year are drawn by lot for active service. The men not so drawn are drafted into what is called the ersatztruppen—a sort of reserve force. In this force the men serve 12 years. They are subject to three periods of drill—one of 10 weeks, one of 6 weeks and one of 4 weeks—but as the army appropriations are sufficient to make it possible to drill all these men some are exempt. At the end of their service in the ersatztruppen the trained men pass into the first class of the landstrum, the unmarried into the second class. The landstrum never passes the frontier and fights only when the fatherland is invaded.

After three years of active service the conscript serves four years in the reserves and then five years in the first class of the landwehr and up to his thirty-ninth year in the second class. The landwehr is called to active service only in case of war and is assigned to garrison duty. Every able bodied male between 17 and 39 who is not in the regular active army, the reserves or the landwehr must belong to the landsturm.

All these forces taken together make the probable war strength of the German army about 3,000,000. But this, according to the emperor's view, is not enough. He wishes, if possible, to increase the annual number of conscripts by 84,000 men and to make his army on a war footing about 1,500,000 men, not including officers. The emperor was willing to accept a somewhat smaller increase, to promise that experiments should be made with a view to reducing the term of active service to two years and to abolish the unpopular ersatztruppen. He would have carried his point by the aid of radical votes had he been willing to make the two years' active service a permanent arrangement. He refused this, however, and the Clerical Center, the Radicals and several smaller parties in the reichstag joined to defeat the bill. The Center is the strongest party in the reichstag and it cannot be won over to the emperor save by concessions from the government to the Catholics.

Since the dissolution of the reichstag there has been a split in the Radical party, and this may help to weaken that party in the new reichstag. The party to gain by this will, however, not be the emperor's friends, the Conservatives, or even his recent allies, the National Liberals, but his enemies, the socialists. Everybody expects them to have a decided majority in the new reichstag.

In spite of universal suffrage and the ballot the government may be able to coerce Germany into electing a reichstag favorable to the army bill. The mass of Germans have great confidence in the utterances of the government upon the subject of war, and if they can be persuaded that Germany is in danger of conquest if she shall not increase her army they will certainly choose a reichstag pledged to do the emperor's bidding. If they do not, the world may look to see another long struggle ending in the defeat of the government, a new dissolution of the reichstag and a terrific constitutional strain upon the empire. Meanwhile there lies behind all the dark possibility that the emperor if definitely defeated may violate the constitution and attempt to increase his army without permission of the reichstag.

T. E. DEGRAW.

The President's Summer Home.

"Belvoir," the house in the suburbs of the national capital which President Cleveland has leased for his summer home, has an interesting history. General Winfield Scott selected the place as the site for the soldiers' home, but it was not secured, as no agreement could be arrived at with the owner. Francis Scott Key, author of the "Star Spangled Banner," spent many years of his early life at "Belvoir," and Presidents Van Buren, Tyler and Buchanan each spent several seasons there. Baron Gerault, the German minister at Washington about the time of the Mexican war, also made "Belvoir" his summer residence.—Philadelphia Ledger.

The Effect of the Thermometer.

It was a very hot day, and grandpa made repeated visits to the piazza to note the state of the thermometer. Little Helen always trudged along with him and listened very attentively when grandpa explained to her about the thermometer. Late in the afternoon grandpa said, "Well, it has gone down; it is a shade cooler." A few moments later Helen said to grandma, "It's surprising, grandma, how cool it is since that fermometer went down."—Youth's Companion.

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MASONIC.

Management of the Michigan Home—Eastern Star Notes.

In Michigan it is believed that the home is best managed by a special corporation. A committee of the grand lodge reported to the effect that the Michigan Masonic Home association is a corporation, its object being to provide for and maintain a home for aged, decrepit and destitute Masons, their widows and orphans, and in their judgment "it can be carried on more satisfactorily and more economically though its own legally chosen officers than it can be by the grand lodge," and for this reason they do not advise the grand lodge to assume its management. Believing, however, that it was a proper subject of recognition by the grand lodge it was recommended that the sum of $7,500 should be raised annually and contributed through the grand lodge for the benefit of said home, such contribution to be realized from the lodges in proportion to membership. The report was adopted, and the grand lodge made an appropriation of $4,000 out of its funds for this praiseworthy object.

Last year the deaths in the order in this country aggregated over 10,000—1.33 per cent more than in 1891.

It is estimated that in the world there are fully 2,000,000 Masons. What an army of men this is doing good work for the cause of humanity!

Texas has close to 22,000 Masons.

In 1892 there were 5,302 Masons restored to membership.

There are 43 chapters Order of the Eastern Star in the state of Minnesota, with nearly 3,000 members. Minneapolis chapter has the largest membership.

The grand chapter of Illinois, Order of the Eastern Star, has made provision for establishing and maintaining an Eastern Star headquarters at the World's fair.

Thus far this year 17 new chapters Order of the Eastern Star have been formed in Kansas, and nearly all the chapters in the state are reporting good work.

Eighteen new chapters Order of the Eastern Star have been added to the Nebraska roll during the past year.

The chapter at Greeley, Kan., Order of the Eastern Star, recently lost all its effects by the burning of the Masonic hall at that place.

The Canadian Masonic Mutual Benefit association has paid benefiaries nearly $700,000.

A. O. U. W.

Gain In the Various Jurisdictions For 1892—Workshop Chips.

The following jurisdictions made a net gain in membership for the year 1892 as follows: Massachusetts 5,914, Nebraska 4,160, Kansas 3,840, Ontario 2,606, Minnesota 2,054, Michigan 1,905, Washington 1,722, the Dakotas 1,510, Iowa 1,222, Maryland 1,112, Pennsylvania 982, Oregon 905, Nevada (including Utah, Wyoming and Idaho) 952, Montana 871, Missouri 774, Texas 689, Indiana 657, Ohio 432, New Jersey 415, Kentucky 374, British Columbia 285, Wisconsin 256, Colorado, New Mexico and Arizona 181, and Manitoba and Northwest Territories (part of year) 21. The following jurisdictions show a loss in membership for the year 1892 as follows. California 630, Georgia, Alabama, etc., 293, Illinois 130, New York 70 and Tennessee 1.

Amount of beneficiary fund paid out in March, $505,413.

Texas has a special tax of $2 which is used alone for the purpose of building up old lodges and organizing new ones.

There were 11 lodges instituted in Iowa during the past year.

The death rate per 1,000 members for the year 1892 was 10.19 and the average for 14 years 8.85.

Ohio has raised over $8,000 for the work of organizing new lodges in that jurisdiction.

RED MEN.

Dangers to Be Avoided In Tribes—Degree of Pocahontas Notes.

The tribe or lodge that attempts to pay a larger sum for benefits than its income warrants, or, to put it inversely, fails to collect dues enough to provide for the benefits it promises to pay, is building a very weak and faulty bridge, which is certain to fail in time of need.

Juanita council, No. 9, Degree of Pocahontas, of Clinton, Mass., is making earnest preparations for the great sun powwow of the councils of Massachusetts to be held in Clinton some time in hot moon.

With 45 councils of the degree of Pocahontas in the state, Indiana stands among the leaders in this degree and even surpasses some of the reservations stronger than itself.

The interest in the order in the City of Brotherly Love continues strong, as is the case over all the state of Pennsylvania. The degree of Pocahontas keeps pace with the progress of the tribes.

A second council degree of Pocahontas will soon be instituted in West Philadelphia.

Royal Arcanum.

The following were fixed as salaries by the grand council of Massachusetts: Grand regent, $700; grand secretary, $1,800; grand treasurer, $300; each member of finance committee for every official examination, $2; committee on laws, appeals and grievances, $25.

The following lucid definition of fraternal orders as given in the official prospectus of the Royal Arcanum is worthy of reproduction: "They are a national blessing. They promote thrift, economy, sobriety, without freezing the soul into selfishness, as is apt to be the case in the usual struggle for wealth or high social position. They bring men into closer social relations and cherish those feelings that thrive and put forth blossoms in each other's welfare. They make men thoughtful and helpful, expanding the sentiments of virtue, mercy and charity. They teach us the religion that breaks bread to the hungry, gives a cup of water to the thirsty, watches at the bed of the sick, visits the imprisoned, the fatherless and the widowed—duties that are sadly neglected and for a long time were supposed to be confined to the church."

They all Testify

To the Efficacy of the World-Renowned Swift's Specific.

The old-time simple remedy from the Georgia swamps and fields has gone forth to the antipodes, astonishing the sceptical and confounding the theories of those who depend solely on the physician's skill. There is no blood taint which it does not immediately eradicate. Poisons once thoroughly absorbed or the result of the diseases from within all yield to this potent but simple remedy. It is an unequaled tonic, builds up the old and feeble, cures all diseases arising from impure blood or weakened vitality. Send for a treatise. Examine the proof.

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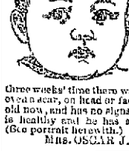

When my baby was three months old his cheeks and forehead began to break out with white pimples on red surfaces. In a few days itching commenced, which was terrible. After he would rub it, matter would come from the pulse. In a short time it spread over the top of his head, then scabs soon formed on head and face. We tried everything we could hear of for nearly five months. It grew worse all the time. I saw your advertisement of the CUTICURA REMEDIES in the "Chicago Weekly." We purchased CUTICURA RESOLVENT and commenced their use. In three weeks' time there was not a sore or pimple, nor even a scar, on head or face. He is now three months old now, and has no signs of the disease. His scalp is healthy and he has a beautiful head of hair. (See portrait herewith.)

MRS. OSCAR JAMES, Woodston, Kan.

My infant, eighteen months old, was afflicted with skin eruptions on his lips. Had sores came on other parts. All remedies failed until we tried CUTICURA. Cured a year and no return of disease.

MRS. A. M. WALKER, Carnesville, Ga.

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Fraternal Miscellany.

There have been 88 new councils of the Junior Order United American Mechanics organized in Pennsylvania since the last session of the state council. There are 15 members of the order in the state legislature.

The more payment of weekly dues does not fully discharge your duties as a member of any fraternal body. The burden of the regular outline should be borne equally by all. It is not right that the many should participate in the benefits made possible by the labors of the few regular attendants.

The Patriotic Order of Sons of America has a state organization in Minnesota, with George W. Bester of Minneapolis as president.

It was at a beach picnic that little Dolly asked thoughtfully, "Mamma, they put salt into the sea; why don't they put pepper in too?"

A dollar loaned for 100 years and compounded at 2½ per cent will amount in that time to $2,704,799,104.

A Pointer for Travelers.

While Mr. T. J. Sidney, of Altona, Mo., was traveling in Kansas he was taken violently ill with cholera morbus. He called at a drug store to get some medicine and the druggist recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy so highly that he concluded to try it. The result was immediate relief, and a few doses cured him completely. It is made for bowel complaint and nothing else. It never fails. For sale by McIville, the drug girl, next to post office.

Poets In the House of Commons.

Several members of the house of commons have published volumes of poems—namely, William Abraham, member for Glamorganshire (Rhondda division), who is a Welsh bard, under the title of "Mabon;" William Allen, the member for Gateshead, who is an engineer and poet, and whose works include "A Book of Songs in English and Scottish;" William Johnston of Ballykilbeg, member of the southern division of Belfast, who is just laureate of the institution of Orange men in Ireland; Professor Jebb of Cambridge university, who has published translations into Greek and Latin verse, and T. D. Sullivan, member of the western division of Donegal, who has published a selection of songs. Sir George Otto Trevelyan published in 1868 a volume of poems entitled "The Ladies in Parliament," and other pieces, and has also written many verses, dramatic and satirical, of which another of the best known is "The Dawk Bungalow."

Henry Smith Wright has published the first four books of the "Iliad" of Homer in English hexameter verse. The prime minister, Mr. W. E. Gladstone, though he has not published a volume of poems, has written verses both in English and Latin, while among his papers is said to be a Greek tragedy, which may one day be sent out in book form. Mr. J. W. Crombie, member for Kincardineshire, is the author of "Some Poets of the People in Foreign Lands." Two members of the house of lords have recently published volumes of poems—namely, Lord Houghton, "Stray Verses," and the bishop of Lincoln, "A Ladder of Heaven."—London Tit-Bits.

The Condition of Liberia.

Liberia's independence was declared in 1847. The republic is peopled with liberated slaves from the United States and their descendants, natives of Africa who have had the advantage of 200 years' contact with civilization. These people are called Liberians. There being no manufactures in the country, everything must be imported. The exports are the natural products, to which may be added coffee, a very fine article being easily raised. The government offices are precisely like those of the United States. As the national treasury is empty, the currency is unfortunately worthless, so that English money is used as available on the steamers.

The feeling of liberty and freedom prevails so that it would be difficult for the people to come under monarchical rule, although that is only a question of time in the opinion of many. If the United States does not come to the protection of her daughter, England, Germany and France all stand ready to grasp the little republic. Whether this would be more favorable to the development of the country and the elevation of the people remains to be seen. It would certainly be the learning of many hard lessons by the nation.—Cor. Goldthwait.

THEY MET ON FIFTH AVENUE.

A Glad Embrace Followed and Gave a Hint of Hidden Romance.

Pedestrians who were passing St. Patrick's cathedral on Fifth avenue the other day at about 3 o'clock in the afternoon were treated to a curious sight. Coming up the avenue was a handsome woman of about 25. She was elegantly dressed and bore herself with a manner and a carriage which were eminently aristocratic. She was walking slowly, as though out for an afternoon airing, looking carelessly at the carriages which were passing along the avenue.

Going down town on the same block and at the same time was a man of middle age. He, too, was dressed faultlessly. He wore a silk hat and overcoat of the latest cut. His trousers were properly creased, and in his buttonhole was a small boutonniere of lilies of the valley. In his hand he carried a neat cane, which he swung as he walked. He looked contented with the world and with himself and as though he had not a care but to enjoy the afternoon sunshine and the luxury of a leisurely stroll. As they approached each other, this lady and the gentleman, they arrived just opposite the main entrance to the cathedral.

Suddenly they caught sight of each other, and an instantaneous change came. The lady stopped short in her walk and exclaimed, "Theo!" She dropped the small silk umbrella she had been carrying, stretched forth her arms and sprang, rather than walked, straight into the arms of the man. He, while he did not exclaim, acted in a manner indicating more emotion than surprise. He dropped his cane and folded the woman to his breast with an ardor that showed more than gladness at the meeting. The pair stopped for a moment in view of the people, who were observing them. He picked up his cane and her umbrella, and together they both disappeared around the corner into Fiftieth street.

Who were they? Brother and sister united after years of separation? Their joy at meeting seemed too warm for that. Lovers separated in their youth and met again after many years? Who can tell? It might have been. But they disappeared around the corner, and they carried their secret with them. And the still lingering pedestrians felt somehow that they had come into contact with something holy and walked again on their way with a glad feeling it was as difficult to define as it was to tell whence and why it came.—New York Press.

Piano Organs From London.

Piano organs are the latest form of musical torture that has been devised. The piano seems to have fallen into disrepute in Europe. In London it is unfashionable to play one of these instruments, and in Berlin there is a law against playing one with the windows of the house in which it is located open. The piano makers of the old world have therefore been looking for a new field to exploit, and they hit upon the piano organ. London makes them and is sending hundreds of them all over the world. They are taking the places of hand organs. In New York and eastern cities you can now hear in the streets as many piano organs, as they are called, as you can hand organs. They are not organs at all, but hand made upright pianos that are mounted on wheels and can be trundled about easily.

They may be heard several blocks away. The hand piano is fast displacing the hand organ in popular favor, but it hasn't the variety of music of the latter. Hand organs are made in this country, and when any new tune comes out it can soon be inserted in the organ's repertories, but the pianos have to be sent to London for any change or repairing that is necessary. In this respect, and in this only, the organs have the best of it.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A General's Pet Charger.

Spot was General Kilpatrick's favorite warhorse. After the war the general went to South America, leaving Spot at his farm with orders that he should receive the best of care. After an absence of several years General Kilpatrick returned.

He reached home late in the afternoon and was for some time occupied with his family greetings. But he did not long forget to inquire for the old horse.

Learning that Spot was at pasture in a distant field, the general went for him and a little later was told that his favorite stood tied to a post at the entrance of the grounds. The general hastened out to the piazza, where, in the gathering dusk, he made out the form of the charger, who stood demurely gnawing at the post.

Just the one word "Spot" rang out over the lawn. Like an echo came back the answering neigh.

A moment later Spot snapped his halter, and with arched neck and dilating nostrils came galloping up to the piazza to greet his old master.

"We hugged and caressed each other like lovers," said General Kilpatrick, "and I am not ashamed to say that no welcome I received that day warmed my heart more than that of old Spot."—Youth's Companion.

Electric Bitters.

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise—A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum and other affections caused by impure blood.—Will drive Malaria from the system and and prevent as well as cure Malarial fevers—For cure of Headache, Constipation and Indigestion, try Electric Bitters.—Entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded. Price 50 cents and $1.00 per bottle at Melville's Drug Store.

LEGAL NOTICE.

John Marsh, residing in East Nodaway, Adams county, Iowa, William Marsh residing in East Nodaway, Adams county, Iowa, Sophia Hunt, John Hunt, Lizzie Henry, Maggie Cummings, Joseph Hunt and ——— Hunt all residing in Henderson, Ills., Summer county, Tennessee, Solomon Argo and Alexander Argo, both residing in Champaign City, Champaign county, Illinois, Robert Hall, whose residence is unknown, Norville Hall, whose residence is unknown, James Bolles, whose residence is unknown, Edwin Hall, whose residence is unknown, the unknown heirs of Elizabeth Crysup, deceased, the unknown heirs of Elizabeth Grundy, deceased, and all heirs of Lovisa Marsh late of Jackson township, Allen county, Ohio, deceased will take notice that on the 26th day of October, A. D. 1892, Mary E. Hedges filed her petition in the court of Common Pleas of Allen county Ohio in case No. 7-21, against the above named parties and others, praying that the last will and testament of Davin Marsh, late of Jackson township, Allen county, Ohio, deceased be sold. Said parties are required to answer on or before the 30th day of June, 1893, or judgment may be taken against them.

MARY E. HEDGES
By Walter B. Richie, her attorney.
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Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as Administrator de bonis non of the estate of Almond E. Hasskell, of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

WILLIAM L. MACKENZIE,
Administrator de bonis non of the estate of Almond E. Hasskell, dec'ased. 5 1 4w

Notice of Attachment.

Philo Bassett, Plaintiff, vs. Alex Carson, Defendant. } Before J. D. Dougherty, Justice of the Peace, Ottawa township, Allen county, Ohio.

On the 6th day of March, A. D. 1893, said Justice issued an order of attachment in the above entitled cause for the sum of eighty-four dollars and sixty-seven cents ($84 67).

PHILO BASSETT, plaintiff.

WHEN WILL IT END?

UNDER-CARE KILLS MORE PEOPLE THAN OVER-WORK.

Many Try to Correct the Trouble when It is Too Late.

"I believe," said one of Toledo's prominent physicians, "that more people die from under-care than over-work. It is rarely that one attends to the slight pain in the back, the nervous, irritable condition, loss of appetite or sleep. These, they think, will get well of themselves. That's not so, but lasted they mean weak bodies, feeble digestion, shaky nerves, but the principle trouble is with the stomach. Unless the food is thoroughly digested and assimilated, the body cannot be nourished; and unless the liver and kidneys properly secrete the bile and throw off the waste matter that nature does not need, the blood is poisoned and the nerves break down."

Excess of uric acid in the blood is the principle fault. Rheumatism, dyspepsia, kidney, liver and urinary troubles and the sicknesses women suffer from, all arise from this one disease.

The one medicine physicians rely upon to dissolve this acid, thus purifying the blood and curing the disease is Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy.

We were astonished upon inquiry to find the good this medicine has done and is doing right in our own city.

"If you doubt it in the slightest degree," said one of our city druggists, "I can refer you to a dozen or more of our best people who have purchased Dr Kennedy's Favorite Remedy of me and have been cured of rheumatism, kidney and urinary troubles, dyspepsia and other different ailments that result from impure blood."

Mr. S. L. Young, of Hiram, Ohio, came out in a public letter and said, "for twenty years or more I have suffered with inflammation of the bladder and kidneys, kept gradually growing worse. Since I have been using Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy I have improved daily, and have not in five years felt as well as I do now. I gave a friend of mine who was afflicted with bladder trouble, part of my bottle, and he said to me a day or so after, 'that is a great medicine you gave me, I am better already,' and he drove eight miles to get another bottle."

A happier woman does not live in the State of Ohio than Mrs. Willey, of 112 Court street, Cincinnati. Mrs. Willey suffered from rheumatism complicated with neuralgia and severe headaches, and at regular intervals with the illness peculiar to her sex, at times almost crazy with pain.

In speaking of Favorite Remedy, Mrs. Willey said: "I employed physicians in Denver, Chicago, here and elsewhere with but temporary relief. Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy has done me more good than all the doctors put together. I am better now than I have been in years. In every instance where I have recommended it to friends it has helped them."

The case of Mrs. Sophia Schmidt, of 805 Bartlett st., Toledo, O., is another instance of the curative power of Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. Mrs. Schmidt suffered from an ulceration of the knee. In speaking of her sickness she said: "Four different physicians had me in hand and found their treatment was entirely useless, tried various home remedies but they gave me no help. It was through the daily paper I found out about Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, and it certainly is a grand medicine. It has done me a great deal of good. I have gained in strength and feel altogether better in every way."

Inquiry among Mrs. Schmidt's friends proved that she states nothing but facts in regard to her case. Many other instances of the kind are widely talked of here in Toledo, where Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy has effected cures after physicians had given up hope.

Local physicians who have been interviewed agree that Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is the most reliable medicine known for curing rheumatism, diseases of the nervous system, kidney, liver and urinary troubles and all of the different diseases brought about by an excess of uric or lactic acid in the blood.

For that tired out or run down feeling, so frequent in the spring, there is nothing else that will build you up so quickly. It's a natural food for the brain, nerve and muscle.—*Toledo Ohio Blade.*

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HEAD AND THROAT

And their symptoms—such as Catarrh, Headaches, Neuralgia, Twitching of the Eyelids, Pain in the back of the Head, dropping of matter into the Throat, Sore Eyes, Discharges from and Ringing in the Ears, Sore Nose with redness, Sore Throat and Mouth, Scaly Eruptions on the Head and Face, Blotches and Pimples on the Face and Body, Hoarseness, Loss of Voice, Enlarged Tonsils, Canker in the Mouth, Bronchitis, etc., are cured with remedies that are not injurious, and months of lingering treatment are avoided. Diseases of the

LUNGS AND HEART

Are indicated by some of the following symptoms, viz.: Cough, Pains through the Chest, raising of matter, weak and tired feeling through the Chest when talking much, short, quick breath, sharp pains in the left breast, palpitation of the heart, faintness, dizziness, flushed face, night sweats, asthma, raising of blood, etc., and cures are effected after the patient has been given up to die by a dozen or more of the votaries to the CURE-ALL theory. The diseases of the

STOMACH AND LIVER,

Together with their symptoms, are numerous and distressing. They are, principally, pain through and under the shoulder-blades, sallow complexion, biliousness, depression of spirits, high colored urine, constipation, indigestion, dyspepsia, terrorness over the pit of the stomach, lump in the throat, fulness of the stomach, bloating, sick headaches, drowsiness after meals, inclination to stoop when walking or sitting, belching of wind after meals, furred, dry and parched tongue, ravenous appetite, nausea, vomiting, neuralgia, raising of bile, heartburn, brown spots on face or body, pain in the side, tormenting thirst while eating, etc. Our treatment for these affections are the best in the world, and always successful. The numerous and terrible difficulties arising from diseases of the

KIDNEYS AND BLADDER,

And which principally afflict old people, are pain in the back, pain over the bladder, high-colored, scanty, profuse, muddy or milky urine, scalding, frequent desire to void it, brick-dust sediment and many other symptoms, some of which can only be detected by urinalysis chemical and microscopical examinations. Speedy relief is always given in these cases, and permanent cures effected after mineral waters, patent medicines, and cure-all doctors have nearly completed a cure by DRUGGING THE PATIENT TO DEATH.

BLOOD POISONING

Diseases, such as Scrofula, Erysipelas, Fever Sores and Syphilis, causing blotches, dry or discharging ulcers, pimples, pains in the bones, sore nose, throat, mouth and tongue, scrofulous sore eyes, discharges from the ears, granular enlargements, kernels on the neck and under the jaws, ulcers on the limbs, scaly eruptions, rheumatism, catarrh, etc., etc., are cured without a single failure.

NERVOUS DISEASES,

Producing nervousness, wakefulness, great lassitude and weakness, palpitation of the heart, depression of spirits, exhaustion upon slight exertion, taking cold easily, lack of energy and ambition, weak stomach and nervous exhaustion, lost vitality, sensations as of nodding and jerking, dizziness, gloomy forebodings, despondency, lack of interest in passing events, weak or inflamed eyes, dorkness, ringing in the ears, loss of memory, disordered imagination, restlessness, easily excited, blue before eyes, lack of confidence in oneself and a constant sense of impending danger, loss of vigor and vitality, obstinate constipation, pain in the back, and general derangement of the whole system.

FEMALE COMPLAINTS

Are treated by new and painless remedies, which soothes and subdues the inflammation instead of increasing it by caustics and such barbarous, inhuman, unnatural injurious applications. The bearing-down pains, backache, spinal weakness, irritability, despondency, pain in the top of the head, nervousness, soreness and bloating of the abdomen, and the general debility which accompany these symptoms, all point to uterine disease, and should receive prompt and proper treatment.

DECLINE OF MAN.

It is now well known that by the modern specific practice now used by the best European Specialists that all kinds of nervous weakness and wasting diseases, catarrh of the head, and diseases of the air passages as well as all diseases peculiar to male and female are now quickly relieved and permanently cured. DRS. BURNER AND CROSS never fail to permanently cure impotency of the mind and body or vital functions of the organs of life, nervous weakness, debility, etc. Also nervous prostration in aged men and all diseases affecting the vital organs of the head, spine, heart, stomach, liver, lungs, veins, etc. If you are afflicted in this way, call and have your case examined and you will soon learn that KNOWLEDGE AND THE TRUTH WITH SPECIFIC MEDICATION WILL MAKE YOU FREE, WELL AND HAPPY.

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TIMES BUILDING, NORTH MAIN STREET.

Prophets in Java.

There is a good deal of profit in the prophet business in Java. A prophet of that island has been paid four hundred dollars a year for the last fifteen years "for not predicting a tidal wave which will sweep clear over the island." But, after all, he can't be very enterprising. With an amount of credulity ready at hand to work upon, he could get one thousand dollars a year just as easily as not.

It Should be in Every Home.

J. B Wilson, 371 Clay street, Sharpsburg Pa., says he will not be without Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, that it cured his wife, who was threatened with Pneumonia, after an attack of "La Grippe," when various other remedies and several physicians had done her no good. Robert Barber, of Cooksport, Pa., claims Dr. King's New Discovery has done him more good than anything he ever used for Lung Trouble. Nothing like it. Try it Free trial bottles at Melville's Drug Store. Large bottles, 50c and $1 00.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Quiet Furnishings.

Mrs. Minks—(proudly showing her new home)—The furnishings you see are not at all ostentatious. They are very quiet.

Mrs. Winks—(enviously)—Yes I notice you have no piano.—*N. Y. Weekly.*

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Just the Thing.

A wag was on a visit to a lunatic asylum, says the Buffalo *Express*, and as the physician in charge was taking him about, it happened that several of the wilder patients were screaming in chorus.

"One of the hardest problems I have to deal with, said the doctor, "is to find employment for those in my charge. They are as much better off you know, if they are occupied in some way."

"Doctor," said the visitor, "why don't you set them to inventing college yells?"

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Melville Bros.

DELPHOS.

Notes and Personal Mention From Our Neighboring City.

DELPHOS, May 27—(Special Cor.)—A hearse passed through here yesterday enroute to Chicago from Washington.

Manager Wulfhorst was at Ft. Wayne Thursday, trying to get a game between Ft. Wayne and Delphos. He was unable to do so however, they being booked for the rest of the season.

Quite a crowd went to F. Jennings Thursday night to attend the "hop."

Base ball tomorrow. Toledo Rogers vs. Delphos Reds. The Reds have been reinforced and this will be a hot contest.

Seigler played with the Lima team at Celina Wednesday.

The Delphos W. F. Club seems to have been one of the lucky ones. Several of our business men have been there and report things just as represented by the agent. The rooms are light and airy, and the restaurant connected with the building is first class. Lima parties got scooped in in great shape, hundreds of dollars being lost by them on their investment. We can't all be lucky, though.

High school was dismissed for the summer vacation yesterday at noon. There are five graduates.

Invitations are out announcing the marriage of Will Hartwell and Maud Campbell for Wednesday evening, May 31.

W. R. Cochran, who is with the National Fence Co., has invented a horse shoe for race horses. It is composed of plates of steel between which are placed pieces of rubber. It will no doubt be a good thing.

Stallkamp & Co. have a lily at their store that measures 8 inches in diameter. Go and see it.

Don't forget the May festival concert at the opera house next Tuesday evening. The musicale event of the season.

Ted Pangle will return home Sunday night. He is much improved and will get along all-right.

Frank Shenk, Ollie Rossitt and Frank Wulfhorst attended the Dolan-Miller fight at Lima last night.

G. F. Gardner, of Akron, trainmaster of the P. A. & W., was in the city yesterday on business.

Rev. Frank Stanton will deliver a lecture at the M. E. church Friday night, June 2. Subject, "Four Doors."

SABBATH SERVICES.

ENG. REFORMED CHURCH.

At 10 a m the pastor's subject will be "The Seen and the Unseen—Which?" At 7:45, "The Prodigal's Brother." Sunday school at 9 a m. Y. P. S. E. at 6:15 p m. All are welcome. Wilson S. Fritch, Pastor.

MAIN STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Sabbath school at 8 a m, preaching at 10 a m and 7:30 p m. Y. P. S. E. at 6:30 p m. Morning subject, "Fellowship," evening, "The Home." Third street mission school at 2 p m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. W. G. Smith, Pastor.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Sunday school at 9 a m, memorial sermon at 10 a m. The W. R. C., G. A. R. and S. of V. will attend the service in a body. Appropriate music will be rendered by the choir. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 p m. Lecture at 7 p m, subject, "Nebuchadnezzer." All are welcome to these services, and seats free.

U. B. CHURCH.

Sabbath school at 9 a m, preaching at 10 a m and 7:30 p m; prayer and praise meeting at 2 p m; Y. P. C. Tuesday at 7:30 p m. All are kindly invited. A. W. Baflinger, Pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Services at 10 a m, subject, "Antiseptic Christians," at 7:30 p m, subject, "Final Appeal in Some Matters of Conduct." Sunday school at 11:30 a m, B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p m. A cordial welcome to all. Seats free. W. E. Freeman, Pastor.

GRACE M. E. CHURCH.

Next Sunday evening Rev. Peter Biggs will deliver the second of a series of lectures on "Elements Essential to Success in Life." The lecture last Sunday night was well attended. Everybody welcome.

SPRING STREET LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Sunday school at 9 a m, memorial services at 10:15 a m. There will be present the G. A. R. and W. R. C. escorted by Co. G, of our city. The sermon will be preached by the pastor, Rev. A. C. Miller. Young people's meeting at 6:30 p m, evening service at 7:30 p m, subject, "The Correct Walk." You are welcome to all these services.

CHRIST CHURCH,

North and West streets. Divine services on Sunday at 10:30 a m and 7:30 p m. All are welcome. Holy communion at 7:30 a m, Sunday school at 11:20 a m, after morning service, Holy baptism administered after Sunday school. Wednesday evening services at 7 o'clock. All cordially invited. There will be a vestry meeting after church Sunday night. Rev. C. B. Crawford, Rector.

MARKET ST. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Preaching by Rev. R. J. Thomson, pastor, at 10 a m, subject, "Human Words Contradicting the Divine." At 7 p m, the third sermon upon the temptations of Christ, subject, "Short Cuts to Power." Prelude to the evening sermon, "A Statement of the Briggs Case up to Data." Sabbath school at 10:30 a m, women's service at 4:30 p m, Y. P. S. C. E. at 6. All comers welcome.

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH,

Tanner street, Rev. J. H. Hunton, Pastor. Services on Trinity Sunday, May 28th: Worship and sermon at 10:15 a m, young people's service at 7 p m, Sunday school at 9 a m. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

Decoration Day.

The executive committee appointed by Mart Armstrong Post G. A. R, in addition to their former committees, extend cordial invitations to all old soldiers and sailors within our midst, together with all citizens and friends, to join them in decorating service Tuesday, May 30th, 1893. This is the festival of our noble dead, and we hope all will assemble with us to do them honor.

The committees appointed for decorating Woodlawn, Catholic and Old Cemeteries will assemble at the above named cemeteries at 10 a m Tuesday, May 30, and will be pleased to have all friends and relatives of soldiers buried there to cooperate with them in decorating the graves of the dead heroes.

The decorating committee will meet at Memorial Hall, Tuesday, May 30, at 7:30 a m, to receive flags and flowers. Carriages will be in waiting to convey the committees to the cemeteries.

Decorating services for the unknown dead will be held in Memorial Hall on Tuesday, May 30, at 2 p m. There will be speaking appropriate for occasion.

G. A. R. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

A Dairyman's Opinion.

There is nothing I have ever used for muscular rheumatism that gives me as much relief as Chamberlain's Pain Balm does. I have been using it for about two years—four bottles in all—as occasion required, and always keep a bottle of it in my home. I believe I know a good thing when I get hold of it, and Pain Balm is the best liniment I have ever met with. W. B. Denny, dairyman, New Lexington, Ohio. 50 cent bottles for sale by Melville, the druggist, next to post office.

Uncertain Age.

Mr. Oldbeau (growing romantic)—Ah, how I wish I had lived in the knightly days of old.

Miss Youngthing (growing weary)—Didn't you?—*N. Y. Weekly.*

In March, April, May, use

Paine's Celery Compound

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Out of His Element.

A rather vulgar personage, who had been created a marquis a few months previous to this story, managed to get himself invited to a court ball in Italy. The new fledged marquis could not contain himself for joy, and exhaled proud satisfaction at every pore. Casting an Olympian glance around the room, he chanced to spy among the ladies the tall, angular figure of an elderly matron, with compressed lips, as though afraid of wasting her breath, and as lean as a lath. She was leaning on the arm of a young gentleman. "Who is that nanny goat?" said the noble lord to a gentleman who was standing beside him. And the latter replied with a knowing smile: "That nanny goat is the ambassadress of S——, the mother of the kid who is giving her his arm, and the wife of the old buck who has the honor of speaking with your excellency."

Best of All

To cleanse the system in a gentle and truly beneficial manner, when the Springtime comes, use the true and perfect remedy, Syrup of Figs. One bottle will answer for all the family and costs only 50 cents; the large size $1. Try it and be pleased. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co., only.

Change of Schedule on the Pennsylvania Lines.

A change in the schedule of passenger trains on the Pennsylvania Lines, went into effect May 21st. Under the new schedule the time of trains at Lima, O., is as follows:

Depart for the West at 4:07 a m, 9:13 a m, 3:30 p m, 4:45 p m, and 11:16 p m.

Depart for the East at 7:30 a m, 9:30 a m, 2:10 p m, 4:20 p m and 8:39 p m.

The corrected card will be given in a subsequent issue of this paper.

B. H. OYLER,
Tkt. Agt., Lima, O.

He Was a Good-Hearted Fellow.

Father—I'm afraid you want to marry my girl for her money.

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The promptness and certainty of its cures have made Chamberlain's Cough Remedy famous. It is intended especially for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough, and it is the most effectual remedy known for these diseases. Mr. C. B. Mann, of Union City, Pa., says: "I have a great sale on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I warrant every bottle and have never heard of one failing to give entire satisfaction." 50 cent bottles for sale by Melville, the druggist, next to postoffice.

One Fare to Columbus, Ohio, and Return via the Baltimore & Ohio R. R.

On June 6th and 7th the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad will sell excursion tickets to Columbus, Ohio, at a rate of one fare for the round trip, on account of the Republican State Convention to be held June 7th and 8th, 1893. Tickets will be good for return passage up to and including June 9th, 1893.

For further information call on or address any B. & O. Ticket Agent or L. S. Allen, Ass't Gen'l Pass'r Agent, Chicago, Ill.

To Muncie, Ind., and Return for $2.35.

The German Baptist Brethern will hold their annual conference this year at Muncie, Ind., May 19th to 26th. For this occasion the L. E. & W. railroad will sell tickets from May 17th to 23d at one fare for the round trip. Tickets good returning June 30th.

J. C. BURCH,
Ticket Agent.

Forcing Early Spring Lambs.

The propagation of spring lambs is one of the most interesting responses to the fastidious palate of these later days. Early strawberries, forced peaches, young asparagus and spring chickens are as nothing compared to the involved processes that have produced spring lamb. This has come about only within the past 10 years and is the result of continuous and ingenious experiment. Before this time spring lamb could not be found in the market until the middle of March, nor easily accessible until the 1st of May. Spring lamb now comes garlanded with Christmas holly. Last year one solitary lambkin helped to celebrate Thanksgiving and was almost without price.

The annual Christmas yield of spring lambs in town is about 20. They are then eating distinctly precious, each lambkin selling for at least $15. In January they become more common, and in February a whole lamb can be bought for $8 or $7. The spring lamb is 2 months old when he is served at table. He has passed his brief life in a warm stall and is fed only on his mother's milk. He has had his little run for a constitutional on the clean floor, but exercise is discouraged that might make his flesh coarse or harden his muscles. He is kept as clean as a baby and is groomed like a Skye terrier. When his appointed hour is come, no sacrificial offering could be in finer condition, morally or physically.—Springfield Union.

Sending Photographs to the President.

What under the sun do people suppose Mr. Cleveland wants of their photographs? Do they think the White House runs an identification bureau? This is one of the craziest crazes the American people suffer from. Apparently there is an insane idea in the popular minds that the president wants to make a national photograph album to look at when he isn't busy. Every mail brings its quota of photographs, which includes the babies named after members of the White House family, all the "first" voters for Cleveland, all his discoverers, their wives and families, all the freaks that spring up, and pictures of all sorts of places. Mr. Cleveland, however, never sees them. The envelopes are opened by callous hearted clerks, utterly unappreciative of these works of art, and the photographs are added to the great heap already collected.—Mrs. McGuirk in Kate Field's Washington.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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FOR LITTLE FOLKS.

Jimmy's May Basket.

Jimmy found three dandelions blooming on the grass plot in the back yard. He didn't pick them; bless you, no. But he wandered up and down the avenue and through all the side streets till he found at the edge of the pavement one and then two dandelions more.

Then Jimmy went home and took all his bright colored kindergarten paper and wove a little May basket, as he had seen the bigger children do. When the basket was finished, Jimmy picked the dandelions in the back yard and put them and the other dandelions into it and filled up the chinks with long, bright grass blades. Then he hung the basket at the door of the pretty curly haired girl next door and ran away. Jimmy doesn't know the little girl next door. He doesn't even know her name. But she is pretty, and her hair shines in the sun. So Jimmy paid homage to her in the only way he knew with his May basket of dandelions.

Do you suppose the little girl liked the round, golden dandelions? Some little girls wouldn't appreciate them.—New York Recorder.

A Bright Little Girl.

Of all the babies in Christendom Mignon Palmer, the little daughter of Mme. Nevada, is the most celebrated. Her little sayings and her beauty have been written up in almost all civilized countries. In Italy and Spain her blond, curly hair, which reaches to her waist, her blue eyes and her pink and white complexion created the greatest furore because all the babies there are brown and black. She soon learns the languages of all the countries in which her mother travels, and although the little thing is only 6 years old she speaks English, French, Italian and Spanish. She is a little prodigy in music. Whenever she is allowed to do what she pleases she goes straight to the piano and composes operas.

She has never been taught and picks up things as she goes along. She imagines she can read, because she knows by heart every word in order of all the English and French stories that her governess reads to her. To see if the child is paying attention to the reading, the governess will substitute one word for another, and the child will at once correct her. She has been taught only one thing—a Spanish dance that she executes with castanets, with all the complications of head movements, curves and steps, and although the dance lasts some 20 minutes, she is never at variance with the music, the steps or the striking of the castanets.

Don't imagine that this little prodigy is a puny, delicate child whose mind overbalances her body. She is strong and sturdy, one of those healthy English babies, with full face, rosy cheeks and strong muscular limbs. She has never been ill an hour in her life.—Paris Cor. Brooklyn Eagle.

Children In the Far North.

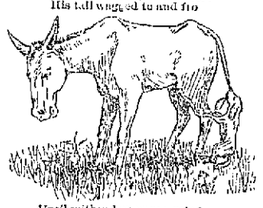
In the far north, with its intense cold it seems that there can be but little pleasure for the children, doomed to pass their days among the almost eternal snow beside the frozen ocean. Yet even here life to these little people has its enjoyments, and every season brings to them its round of games and sports.

In summer a portion of the inhabitants leave the winter villages and scatter along the coast for the purpose of hunting and fishing. Others go to distant points along the coast and trade oil, guns, tobacco, powder, lead, etc., with natives of the interior, receiving in payment valuable furs and the skins of reindeer, which they use exclusively for clothing. At these meetings a round of feasting and games is indulged in before any trading is done. Whenever a camp is made the little folk will be found with their bows and arrows shooting grass birds, which are abundant, or the numerous varieties of shore birds to be found in that region.—Forest and Stream.

An Obliging Donkey.

The little puppy Midget
Lived near the donkey's stall,
And often for a social play
To Barney's pile would crawl.
And when the frisky Barney
Out in the field was led
The little Midget, full of joy,
Would caper at his side.

As if it were a pendulum,
And Midget watched it go,
One day as Barney stood there
His tail wagged to and fro



Until within her puppy mind
There grew an antic thought,
And with a sudden upward leap
The swinging tail she caught.

The donkey's heart was kindly,
The donkey's tail was tough.
"You want to swing? Well, swing away
Until you've had enough."
So Barney's tail wagged faster,
And still did Midget cling.
Now tell me, if you ever heard
Of such a funny thing?—Babyland.

Dainty and Expensive For Brides.

Those who are not deeply interested in trousseau secrets can hardly imagine the vast amount of needlework put into wedding lingerie. The latest conceptions of nightgown, petticoat and waist are exceedingly dainty. I saw a petticoat bodice the other day which was composed entirely of fine insertions. The tucking on all of these garments is a triumph of fine needlework. Just look at one nightgown, for instance, in a set made to order for a spring bride. It is empire shape, with the short yoke bodice made of alternate strips of rare lace and muslin embroidery. Fairylike frills of the muslin edged with lace form jabots, while the big sleeves have two great puffs in the arm, held at elbow and wrist with white satin ribbon.

Other pieces are trimmed with lace run with baby blue or pink ribbons. White ribbons used for girdles are worked with forget-me-nots. Silk mull underkerchiefs, to be worn under satin stays, are edged with real lace. A snow white silk petticoat, fitting snugly over the hips and flaring at the hem, with a knife plaiting of silk 6 inches deep, veiled with another of white grenadine, vandyked and bordered with lace over the plaiting is a piece of extravagance of which only a bride could be guilty.—Brooklyn Eagle.

The first symptoms of heart disease are short breath, fluttering, faint and hungry spells, pain in the side, swollen ankles, for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine book on Heart Disease, with wonderful cures, free at Melville's drug store, or address Dr. Miles Medicine Co., Elkhart, Ind. 6

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HEAD Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint; but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

ACHE is the bane of so many lives that here is where we make our great boast. Our pills cure it while others do not.

Carter's Little Liver Pills are very small and very easy to take. One or two pills make a dose. They are strictly vegetable and do not gripe or purge, but by their gentle action please all who use them. In vials at 25 cents; five for $1. Sold by druggists everywhere, or sent by mail.

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No. 6	1:15 p m.	1:20 p m
No. 12	6:30 p m.	6:20 p m.
No. 10	9:20 p m.	
No. 60 Sunday only	7:35 a m.	7:40 a m.
No. 62 Sunday only	8:30 p m.	

SOUTH BOUND.

	ARRIVE	LEAVE.
No. 11		6:15 a m.
No. 1	9:30 a m.	9:40 a m.
No. 5	12:35 a m.	12:45 p m.
No. 9	5:55 p m.	6:15 p m.
No. 7	2:00 a m.	2:05 a m
No. 61 Sunday only		7:05 a m.

L. E. & W.

EAST BOUND.

No. 6, accommodation	7:20 a m
No. 4, mail	2:00 p m
No. 2, express	7:50 p m
No. 42, local	6:15 a m

WEST BOUND.

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HAVE YOU HAD THE GRIP?

The orthodox old school doctors considered disease an organized enemy which carried on an actual warfare within the body. Heroic remedies, powerful pills and pellets, were, therefore, hurled like shot and shell to displace the invisible enemy.

The belief to day is that disease is a delicate organization out of gear and working with friction.

Have you had the grip?

Has it left you weak and nervous? Then you know what disease is.

You need something to rob the nerves of irritability, and make the system capable of making vigorous, ruddy, healthy blood.

Then above all things, use Paine's celery compound. Thousands of people have set their stamp of approval on it. It is in the line of progress. Its discoverer recognized that weakness, lassitude and lack of energy mean that more nervous force is being used than is produced.

Paine's celery compound will make you well if you are weak. Here is a recent letter from Mr. Ransom Phillips, of Addison, N. Y., enclosing a photograph of his sister, given above:

"I have bought three bottles of Paine's celery compound for my sister.

"She had a stroke of paralysis some three or four years ago, but she got better, so that she was around. Then she had the grip and it left her weak and nervous, with a bad cough. She was reading some of the letters from prominent people about Paine's celery compound, and she mentioned it to me, and I told her she had better have some. I got her a bottle. She took this one and when that was gone it had done her so much good that I went and got two more bottles.

"I carried one of them home to my wife, who is quite nervous, and it also helped her." It makes people well. It cures where everything else fails. Try it and you will be convinced.

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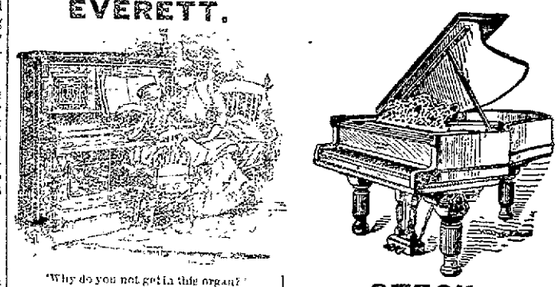

"Why do you not get a this organ?"

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Notice is hereby given that a petition will be presented to the Commissioners of Allen county, at their next session, June, A. D. 1893, praying for the vacation of a county road on the following line, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the north line of the Ditto road on the east bank of the Auglaize river near the half section corner, between sections nine (9) and sixteen (16), town three (3) south, range five (5) east; thence in a northwesterly direction along the east bank of said river until it intersects the said Auglaize river and there terminate.

April 27, A. D. 1893.

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A certain cure for Chronic Sore Eyes, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Old Chronic Sores, Fever Sores, Eczema, Itch, Prairie Scratches, Sore Nipples and Piles. It is cooling and soothing. Hundreds of cases have been cured by it after all other treatment had failed. 25 cents per box.

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OUR $2.00 PANTS SALE

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MONEY TO LOAN!

Money loaned on real estate security in sums of $200 and upwards Privilege given for partial payment if desired Remember that I have the lowest priced money offered in Northwestern Ohio to-day CALL ON ME

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Harley's Ice Cream Soda

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Is simply the best drink discovered up to the present time

ABOUT PEOPLE

Who They Are, Where They Have Been and Are Going

Mr E C Akerman, superintendent of the Elida Public Schools, was in town today

Mr. and Mrs John O'Connor left today on an extended trip to Washington, New York City and Hartford, Conn

Messrs T C Doolittle and Julius Lembeck, who have been here for the past week, left today for their home in Cleveland

Misses Anna and Ida Beltord, of Columbus Grove, are in the city, the guests of Misses Anna and Mayme McComb of North Pine street

Mrs D N Gasson and children, of Holgate, and Mrs T B Seeitz, of Delphos, are spending the day with Mr E Fisher and family, of West Wayne street

A LONG FALL

That will Likely Kill a Driller.

Frank McBride, an oil driller, fell from the top of an oil derrick yesterday afternoon, at the County Infirmary farm near Findlay, and will probably die from internal injuries He was near the top when the ladder gave way beneath him and he fell fifty feet. He lay for several hours in an unconscious condition McBride was formerly a heavy contractor in the oil fields, and was well known in this city He has a wife and family

Decoration Day

We will have a fine lot of cut flowers for Decoration Day, and will make the following low prices on orders placed before Monday, May 29 This is your opportunity

Choice Roses	$ 75 per doz
Choice Carnations	25 "
Pansies	15 " "
Lily of Valley, Narcissus et	50 " "
Callas	1 00 " "
Peonies	1 50 " "
Marguerites	10 " "
Corn Ferns	5 " "

OWAN BROS,

116 East High street

Phone 263 86-5t

Fell on His Hand

This morning as local engine 11 on the C H & D was backing into the elevator track at Toledo, the stack was knocked off by coming in contact with a portion of the building The stack fell on conductor Heffner's hand, injuring it so badly that he was compelled to come home on the 9 25 o'clock train

Preaching on the Public Square

The gospel of the grace of God will be preached on the Public Square Sunday afternoon, at three o'clock, by Edward Acomb, of Indianapolis.

Carpets

Largest stock—Best makes—Lowest prices—Best workmen, at Bell's

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Y M C A NOTES

Points Picked Up at the Young Men's Room

Men's meeting to-morrow at 3 30

Bible training classes meet as usual to-morrow No 1 at 8 30 a m, and No 2 at 3 p m All members should make an effort to be present.

The representatives of the various entertainment courses throughout Ohio met at Columbus this week, and held a conference about the courses for next year, and made necessary arrangements Lima was represented and will have a fine course for the coming season

Study of the S S lesson in the rooms this evening at 7 10 All interested are invited Both ladies and gentlemen welcome

Men's meeting to-morrow at 4 30 Mr L H Kirby leads and Mrs T S Billett sings gospel songs An interesting meeting is assured All men are urged to be present

To be Well Dressed

Should be the aim of every lady The greatest aid to this laudable ambition is found in the elegant assortment of

WHITE SUMMER DRESS GOODS

that we are now displaying It embraces all of the new light and airy fabrics adapted to summer wear, and all of the latest plaids and lengthwise characteristic of this season

Never before have we had such a large and beautiful assortment of dotted and figured swiss as we are now showing

A splendid line of new parasols will also be shown this week

G E BEURM,

27 Public Square

Dress Goods and Cloak House

THE SOUTH SIDE

Mrs August Spahn, of Second street is visiting relatives in Dayton

Chas Curry, of Solarville, went to Mansfield this morning, on business

Mrs A J Wilson, of 920 St Johns avenue, was summoned to Ada last evening, on account of the serious illness of a relative

Miss Stella Greenland, of Reece avenue celebrated her thirteenth anniversary last Thursday evening, by entertaining a number of her schoolmates

Miss Mabel Pugh, of 814 South Main street was most agreeably surprised on her return from school yesterday afternoon, the occasion being her tenth birthday and ten or twelve of her schoolmates reminded her of the same Among those present were, Misses Eva Meyer, Cleo Carsawa, Lelia Dreg Mary Dray Clara Robinson, Bonnie Wyatt Nellie Solomon, Flora Solomon and Master Greeva Lanor

Band Concert

The Lima City Band will render the following programme from the band stand tonight at 7 30

Aida March	Brooks
Selection—La Muse et	Reeves
LaBarcarolle Waltz	Waldteufel
The Night Alarm	Reeves

Description A fire department night and deeply disturbed by the cry of fire the alarm at the sixth hour the galloping of horses and ringing of gong, the hose and end with home again

INTERMISSION

Kaiser Friedrich	Friedmann
Grand Concert Fantasia—Lucia	Hartman
The Coon Dance—Will a Sweetheart Woman	Meachum
American Patrol	

Found the Owner

This morning a young lady who gave Jno Brinker a $5 gold piece for a nickle, applied to him and received the coin back

The young lady had seen the account of John's wanting to find the owner who had made the error and sent hunted him up, being at a loss, up to the time she saw THE TIMES DEMOCRAT account, of what had become of the coin She was most profuse in her thanks for his honesty

Auction Auction! Auction!

Lots without reserve at the Clifton addition Wednesday, May 31st, commencing at 1 p m 100 street car tickets given away to each purchaser of lot. Attend the sale 90 3t

ANGRY

Murderer Van Loon is Wild with Rage

He Denounces His Spiritual Advisor and Orders Him to Stay Away

Frank Van Loon the Columbus Grove bank robber and murderer says the Columbus Press-Post is wild with rage at Rev W C Harris his old friend and spiritual adviser He charges Mr Harris with betraying his secrets and asks that the reverend gentleman be not hereafter admitted to the annex to see him Van Loon's anger was caused by the publication in Thursday evening's Press Post of the interview which took place between him and his spiritual adviser Thursday morning, in which it was stated that Rev Harris advised the doomed man to prepare to meet his Maker, as there was no longer any earthly hope for him A copy of the Press Post fell into Van Loon's hands in the annex Thursday evening and he read the account of what took place between Mr Harris and himself

WITH BALD HEAD

In a moment his whole body was up and he threatened vengeance against Mr Harris who he blamed for furnishing the paper its information He then sent for Deputy Warden Playford and requested that he enter Rev Mr Harris be forbidden the privilege of visiting him in the annex He vowed that he would show the world that he could die game if he had to but he did not believe there was so much for him as Mr Harris had represented In fact he hoped and did not Hon W W Sutton his attorney, would get discover a name to give his life if his overzealous friends do not spoil his game It is now probable that the penitentiary officials will redouble their efforts to prevent the secrets of the annex from leaking out in the future

MEMORIAL SERVICES

Special Notice U V U and W V R U

The members of Geo A Taylor Grand Army No U V U and Women's Veteran Relief Union will meet at their hall Sunday next at 9 a m to attend memorial services at the new Lutheran church on West Spring street Rev Miller officiating Company G of the Ohio National Guard is cordially invited to be with us on this occasion and proceed with us to the church

The column will move at ten o'clock sharp and at that hour will be joined by Company G at the hall, and proceed to the church All honorably discharged union soldiers and their families are cordially invited to be with us Seats will be reserved for all in line

The general public services will begin at 10 30

Mrs J L Smith Pres

Jos Morris Col

F A McLaughlin Adjt

COURT HOUSE NEWS

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

F C Calvert to John Crull, half of subdivision Reece addition, $500

NEW CASES

John Hubbard et al vs Louie and M E Williams cognovit

John Hubbard et al vs M E Williams cognovit

COMMON PLEAS COURT

D S Lessler assignee, vs Mary A Walz error finding for plaintiff Worthorst & Co vs City of Lima find ing for plaintiff for $2,021 30 and interest from Oct 1, 1889

Paving the Square

There is much disappointment in the way that the bids were made by the brick men for paving the square

There were about a dozen contractors represented here, but only three bids were put in, and one of the number was from home people The dozen contractors put in two bids which remains one of the darkest coon traps that "sketch 'em" ever saw as well as coming to a point for the taxpayers of our city to pause and investigate this paving question" There are other materials used very successfully in street paving, and which are claimed for superior to brick This should be considered

If all the different kinds of pavement had been allowed to enter into competition there would have been no such foolishness as was exhibited here by the manufacturers of brick

The only intelligent bid put in was by our own people and unfortunately that was too high If our worthy Council will open the gate and allow a free fight we will get our paving done at a price that will save money to the taxpayers

This close corporation business should be put down on A TAX PAYER

McCullough Lake Water Entertainments

Something new Decorated Day afternoon and evening Boat Racing Tub Racing, "Stickenfoson" and other amusements Admission 10 cents 89

For Sale,

Nice home on monthly payments, near Market and Pierce street, seven room house fine lot, cement cellar good selection of fruit Price $2400 Rare bargain

C H FOLSOM

DESERTED.

An L E & W Brakeman Leaves His Wife and Babe

Under the Pretense of Illness He Goes on a Visit and Fails to Return

About two months ago a man by the name of S S Garlinger came here from Ada and secured a position as a brakeman on the L E & W, and commenced work under Conductor Chas Jeffries, on the west end of this division Shortly after commencing work, he brought his wife and six months old child to this city and they have been boarding on South Main street

Everything seemed to be going all right until about two weeks ago, when he came home, and claiming to be sick, obtained permission to lay off

He then took his wife and child to Mrs Tinley's boarding house, on East Vine street, and said he would

GO TO HIS HOME

in Ada and remain a few days until he felt better, but before going he persuaded his wife to write to her parents at Lancaster O, for some money to pay house rent with promissory to commencing house keeping

She received the money and paid $8 in advance to A E Mangester for the rent of some rooms above his hardware store Her husband went home but

DID NOT RETURN

at the time he promised to, so she followed him He flew into a rage and told her he had left her and would no longer provide for the family She returned here and went to Mr Mangester, intending to get the money she had paid him for rent but found that her husband had drawn the money before he left Thus the woman and her infant child were left without any provision whatever being made for their welfare

Garlinger had drawn about $60 last pay day but did not give his wife a cent

Mrs Garlinger is still at Mrs Tinley's boarding house working for her board she says that when

HE WAS MARRIED

her parents gave her $200 in money all of which her husband has taken from her and spent while he scarcely provided her with sufficient clothing for herself and child Now that her money is all gone he has left her in destitute circumstances There is about $40 due him from the L E & W, which she is now trying to secure to pay for her transportation to the home of her parents in Chester

ROUND ABOUT

Tom Robinson is said to always be in a fine frame of mind He sells pictures

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The Chicago people are becoming quite anxious for roomers and boarders An ad for rooms in any of the Chicago dailies will satisfy anyone of the truth of that declaration A citizen of Wilmington who wished to attend the fair in a short time, thought to obtain his rooms in advance, and placed an advertisement in a Sunday Chicago paper The first mail Monday morning brought him over a 100 letters in answer offering him rooms, and one mail Tuesday brought over 600 and up to last mail Tuesday evening he had received 1175 letters A number of them had stamps enclosed for reply He has the letters on exhibition in the front window of his grocery and quite a novel variety and some of them rather interesting

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The opera house boxes for the Lilliputian troubles will be auctioned off this year, the same as heretofore Last year a premium of about $100 was paid for them

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Co C, Lima is arranging for a grand celebration prize drill, sham battle etc, to be held at Lima July 3 and 4 It is the intention to make the affair a military one and in order to secure the attendance of a number of companies, the following prizes are to be awarded To the best drilled company a $200 stand of colors, $50 in gold to the best fifth team of five a $10 gold medal to them making the best score and a $50 medal to the best drilled soldier The affair will wind up with a sham battle, to be participated in by all the troops present A splendid special program is announced in connection with the above, and a very splendid time promised all who take part in the ceremonies—*Ohio Democrat*

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A subscriber to THE TIMES DEMOCRAT, who lives in Kansas, writes that for eight years he has hoped to read that the Lima police force had improved, but confessed that he would have to give it up until the election of a Democratic mayor

ROTTEN

Attempt to Give a Public Exhibition

Jack Bolan and Tommy Miller Fight a Very Yellow Fake

About twenty local sports gathered in an old hunting shed on the bank of the Auglaize last night, to witness the fistic exploits of Jack Bolan of Cincinnati and Tommy Miller, of Indianapolis, which proved to be one of the biggest fakes that was ever pulled off in Northern Ohio

The gang had some difficulty in making a referee for the fight, Jack Kirwin was selected by a large majority

Miller was the first to enter the ring, followed by his second, Dan Bayliff Bolan was looked after by a local sport

Time was called at 10 o'clock and

THE TWO FAT HEAVYWEIGHTS

The first round was very tame but in the second they both started in to hit, Miller fouling Bolan three times by throwing him down and back heeling, but a howl was raised in Bolan's corner by his friends claiming foul but Jack Kirwin would not allow it He cautioned Miller about fouling

From the second till the eighth and last round it was a tame but fouling on Miller's part The referee got disgusted and gave the fight to Bolan on a foul

THE

TOUGH PART CAME

for the police but failed to come off

The fight was the rankest fake ever witnessed in this county the White Deer raid being far ahead of last night's go The fight was a clear case of obtaining money under false pretenses and the duffers who gave the show right to be locked up

Miller and a fellow named Tommy Kady, and Bob Bolan are backed for another fake at Lima in the near future

MAY PARTY

A Delightful Entertainment Given by Mrs Wheeler's Kindergarten School

The small parlor room of Trinity M E church was on yesterday afternoon the scene of a delightful entertainment The occasion was an exhibition of the work of the pupils of the little folks of Mrs Wheeler's Kindergarten school for three month and it was a veritable treat to those who witnessed it

The lecture room was well filled with parents and children who came in response to pretty invitations sent out last week and presented a scene of beauty to the eye Loving and busy hands had been at work all the morning preparing the room wreathing the pillars with ferns and flowers, preparing the dainty little luncheon tables and making all things ready for the feast At one side of the room good Santa Claus Little May pole wreathed and crowned with fragrant blossoms and near it were arranged the little tots of the kindergarten who looked almost too sweet for words dressed in their pretty fancy cloth and their sweet little faces all aglow with expectation

At about half past three Mrs Wheeler commenced the programme by requesting the attention of the audience for a few moments She made a short and very interesting address in which she explained the first principles of Froebel and their use and design She did not fear that not understanding the work might think it was only of the songs and games which followed At the close of her remarks, Miss Trudie Beale, who presided at the piano, struck up the opening march and led by their pretty and graceful teacher the little ones went through a number of evolutions, breaking in a ring around the May pole Then followed the May pole song and dance and the remainder of the programme in order, consisting of a number of games including The Butterfly' The Pigeons, How the Corn Grows, 'Merry Little Men The dumb bell exercise and Grandma's Story were especially pretty and called forth warm applause from the visitors The programme closed with a march into which all the little guests were invited and they marched to the pretty tables where the luncheon, consisting of sandwiches, fancy cakes and kisses were served by four pretty little girls, Nellie Richie Madge Mitchell Louise Lowe and Mildred Townsend, gowned in dainty silk dresses, and assisted by the ushers Howard Bartlett and Robert Mehaffey It was a night not soon to be forgotten—those forty little children all under six years old, seated at the four low tables and discussing their lunch even with perfect freedom just as though they were entirely alone, instead of being the cynosure of two hundred pairs of eyes After the luncheon Mr Wheeler made a short and delightful address in which he spoke of the importance of the Kindergarten work, of the principles underlying it and of its effect upon all the future life of the child showing a comprehensive understanding of Froebel's methods He warmly congratulated Mrs Wheeler and her charming and able assistant Miss Laura Bennett upon accomplishing so much in such a short time, and closed with the hope that at no very distant time we would have free Kindergarten schools in Lima, so that all little ones could profit by them

Mr Wheeler's address closed the exercises and as the audience dispersed, nothing was heard but words of admiration and praise of the plucky little woman whose genius they had been that afternoon

Columbus Entertainment

An interesting program has been arranged by the Congregational Sabbath School for next Monday evening, the proceeds are to be used for the benefit of the Sabbath School

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Come to the Laying

The new station for the Lima College will be laid on Decoration Day

Appropriate exercises will be held at the college, after which the crowd will go to the Market street Presbyterian church where it will be entertained by vocal and instrumental music

Exercises at the college grounds at 2 0 p m and in Market street Presbyterian church at 3 p m

A collection will be taken up in the church to defray expenses

Let the people show their interest in the Lima College on that day and come out and enjoy the literary and musical feast

Supper will be served in the building formerly occupied by the American Clothing Co

Two Weddings in Lafayette

Early this morning Mrs Katie widow of P M Hall, died at her home in Lafayette Heart disease was caused by a cancerous growth in her throat She leaves five children

A MONTH OLD

Henry Greenawalt one of Jackson township's oldest citizens died yesterday at the advanced age of 85 years He had been a respected resident of the county for sixty years

The Cause a Mystery

About four o'clock this morning Policeman Lehman turned in alarm of fire from box 54 The fire department found the fire to be in a closet in Clothing House on Circular street A stream of water was turned on and the flames were extinguished in a short time

The cause of the fire is a mystery The loss will not exceed $100

Aid Society

The Ladies Aid Society of the Spring street Lutheran church, will serve ice cream pine apples and cake this evening in the room at the northeast corner of the Public Square formerly occupied by the American Clothing Company Step in and patronize them

OIL AND GAS.

Closing market, 58½c

GONE.

Another Escape From the City Prison

The Principal Witness Against the Tramps Escaped Last Night

Some time during last night the young boy at whose instance the tramps were arrested the other night for assaulting and robbing him, made his escape from the city prison, where he was being detained as a witness

The youth was kept in the female department of the station, while the others were at the county jail awaiting the action of the grand jury

Last evening about seven o'clock was

THE LAST SEEN OF THE BOY

His supper was taken to him and, this morning when janitor Casey went to give him his breakfast he found the door open and prison empty

The only explanation of his getting out is that some of the police carelessly left the cell door open during the night and the boy seized the opportunity and slid out

As his was the only evidence against the trio they too, will have to be given their freedom

FRIENDLY

Assault Upon an Unprotected Woman

Seized as She Passes a Dark Place on the Public Streets

A few nights ago, a Lima woman was on her way from L E & W & C depot to her home on West Wayne street she was assaulted by a unknown man and it was only after a hard fought struggle that she succeeded in tearing herself away from his embrace

The lady is a married woman and lives on Wayne street west of Main, her name being withheld

She received a telegram a few minutes before the arrival of the west bound passenger train but as due on the P Ft W & C at 7 o'clock, stating that her brother, from whom she had

NOT SEEN FOR SEVERAL YEARS

would pass through Lima on No 6 and that he would like to see her at the depot Her husband had retired for the night, and she decided to make the journey alone Ordinarily she or any other woman would not run any danger in going on the streets alone at that time of night especially when persons were coming from the depot and no incendiary was supposed to be about

As the woman was passing the Swift refrigerator building she was suddenly confronted by a strange man, who grabbed her before he could know an outcry, and with his hand over her mouth dragged her toward the platform and was about to attempt an outrage when the woman succeeded in freeing herself from the scoundrel's grasp and

UTTERED A SCREAM

which frightened the brute away and caused him to run

She is a highly respected woman and the mother of a male family

There was no one in the vicinity of the spot where the brutal assault was made, and no one answered her cries She was compelled to wend her way home unprotected, and has not yet fully recovered from the shock the assault occasioned

World's Fair Rates to Chicago, Ill, Via the Baltimore & Ohio R R

On April 29th to October 31st the Baltimore & Ohio railroad will sell excursion tickets to Chicago Ill at very low rates on account of the World's Columbian Exposition to be held May 1st to October 31st, 1893

Tickets will be good for return passage to and including November 6th 1893

For further information call on or address any B & O ticket agent or L S Allen Asst Gen'l Pass'r Agent Chicago, Ill

The Two Sisters Met

The scene at a fashionable hotel in the Cincinnati Hamilton and Dayton station in Hamilton, O a few days ago about 10 o'clock

Seven trains pulled in at that hour and two men rushed up to the lunch counter The men were brothers but they did not know it at the time They had not met each other for 20 years

Henry Clay James and Charles Monroe aged about 40 and 42 respectively whose home was in Springfield Ill He was stationed when young men one finally drifted to Grand Rapids where he accumulated considerable wealth The other went west and settled at Denver As years wore on the brothers knew each other from each other and bitterly each thought the other dead

As they sat at the lunch counter a friend of James called him shouting "Oh Jim Monroe" Before James could respond the gentleman sitting next to him turned and addressing him as Colonel said "Are you James Monroe" Yes sir, was the reply "Who are you" "I am your brother Charles Monroe of Denver" replied the man

The two men gazed at each other in silence for several seconds then there was an affectionate handshake and tears glistened in the eyes of both

Neither of them finished his lunch but getting down off the stools they walked out arm in arm down the station until they were out of sight and then went together—Cincinnati Enquirer

An Old Missouri Law

Missouri is sometimes comical I read of a law a few days ago that a new statute has been passed by the Missouri legislature which makes it a penitentiary offense for a husband to desert his wife until he has lived with her for at least 10 years I do not know the phraseology of the statute but it is plainly and simply interpreted it seems by everybody who has read it and it means that when you marry a woman in this state you marry her for 10 years and when you have served your 10 years you can kiss her goodby and go

It is a sort of a continue arrangement, I suppose The lawmakers must have been married men with wives at home who wear the breeches or they wouldn't have taken such a practical view of matrimony and set a timelock on the marriage contract They probably argue that the men who live 10 years with some women are sufficiently punished for their folly and are entitled to skip if they have survived the ordeal —Interview in St Louis Globe-Democrat

Cholera in Southern France

WASHINGTON May 27—Surgeon General Wyman of the marine hospital service has received a cable dispatch from Surgeon Irwin stationed at Marseilles announcing that cholera has appeared in Nimes and Cette in southern France and about 70 or 100 miles distant from Marseilles Cette is directly on the sea coast

The Great Lie

First Reporter—We got the scoop on you in the robbery in the street car We were the only paper that published the number of the pickpocket's unrest and thereby saved the money

Second Ditto—Yes but we were the only paper that gave the number of the car—Boston Transcript

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

STILL THEY COME!

NEW STYLES

—IN—

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Prince Alberts. Southern Ties, Edson Ties, Oxford Ties,

Russia Oxfords, Tan Bluchers, Juliets, Kid Bluchers.

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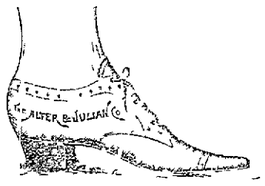

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